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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1924-25

Town Clerk.

THOMAS L. GILES

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

CHARLES S. SMITH (Chairman)	.	.	Term expires	1927
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	.	.	" "	1926
C. LEE TODD	.	.	" "	1928

Assessors.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN (Chairman)	.	.	Term expires	1926
HERBERT G. FARRAR	.	.	" "	1927
THOMAS J. DEE	.	.	" "	1928

Treasurer.

GEORGE G. TARBELL

Collector of Taxes.

THOMAS L. GILES

Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM

School Committee.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY	Term expires 1928
EDITH B. FARRAR	" " 1927
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" " 1926

Water Commissioners.

JOHN J. KELLIHER	Term expires 1928
SUMNER SMITH	" " 1926
ROBERT R. HUNTER	" " 1927

Board of Health.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON	Term expires 1926
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" " 1927
MARTIN M. WELCH	" " 1928

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1927
C. LEE TODD	" " 1928
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" " 1926

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires 1927
C. LEE TODD	" " 1928
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" " 1926

Cemetery Commisisoners.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1927
EDWARD F. FLINT	" " 1928
FRITZ CUNNERT	" " 1926

Field Drivers.

ROTHWELL N. MACRAE
JOSEPH F. EATON
DENNIS M. DOUGHERTY

Fence Viewers.

DAVID C. BOWEN
WILLIAM H. SHERMAN

Surveyor of Lumber.

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

JOHN F. FARRAR ELMER A. ROLLINS

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY · JOHN T. CLARK

Trustees of Lincoln Library.

GEORGE G. TARBELL JOHN F. FARRAR

C. LEE TODD

CHARLES S. SMITH, *Chairman Selectmen ex-officio*

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman School Committee ex-officio*

Registrars.

CHARLES S. SMITH	C. LEE TODD
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	THOMAS L. GILES

The Polls for voting the Australian Ballot on Tuesday.

March 3, will be open at 12:30 o'clock P. M. and may be closed at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other Officers required by law, to be elected by Australian Ballot, viz.:

One Town Clerk.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow, during the municipal year, beginning January 1, 1925, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor, payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote, shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will extend the water pipes

from the point opposite Conant Road (so called) of the house occupied by Mr. Davis or take any action in reference to the matter.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will have the commercial electric lighting extended from the South Great Road on Tower Road to the house of Mr. William Harding or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will take any action with reference to a permanent memorial to the men in the late war.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will choose a committee or otherwise, to take steps to improve three (3) triangles in the Town, as follows: one in the center of the town, opposite the house of the late Julia A. Bemis; one on the South Great Road near Farnsworth's Corner, and one on the Concord-Wayland Road near the house of Mrs. Bunker.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen or other committee to acquire by purchase, or otherwise, a tract of land belonging to the estate of Charles S. Wheeler, adjoining the present Cemetery, and appropriate money for the same, or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen or other committee to determine if the Abbie J. Stearns Fund, for the purchase of a Town Hearse, can be transferred to the fund for Silent Poor, established by the same person.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will purchase additional equipment for the Fire Department or take any action in relation to the matter.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 or some other amount and elect a director.

the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

ARTICLE

To see if the Town will take any action toward the erection of a new school building in the center of the town, or take any action toward the erection of an annex to the present Center school building, appropriate any money or enact anything in relation to the same.

HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 14th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

Signed: CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

On the back of this Warrant is the following return:

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one at the Railroad Station, seven days before date of said meeting.

Signed: JOHN J. KELLEHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant, the meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, Charles S. Smith, who read the Warrant.

ART. 1. George G. Tarbell was elected Moderator.

Thomas L. Giles was elected Clerk Pro Tempore.

The meeting adopted the following vote made by Charles S. Smith.

On account of the sudden and untimely death of our esteemed Town Clerk and out of respect to his memory, I move that this meeting do now adjourn until Saturday, March 7, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Attest: THOMAS L. GILES,
Clerk Pro Tempore.

March 2, 1925

At a meeting of the Selectmen, held this day in the Selectmen's Office, under the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 14, Thomas L. Giles was appointed Town Clerk.

Signed: CHARLES S. SMITH,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen.

Attest: THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

Proceedings of the Annual Election of Town Officers, March 3, 1925

Meeting called to order by Moderator George G. Tarbell at 12:30 o'clock.

The following were appointed and sworn as Election Officers:

Ballot Clerks, Thomas J. Dee and Andrew John Dougherty.

Tellers, Charles M. Robinson and Mrs. May Bodley.

F. Winchester was appointed Presiding Officer.

The Ballot Box was inspected and found to be empty and in working order.

Polls closed and meeting adjourned at 6:30 P. M.

The following is the result of the ballot:

Whole number of votes cast, 308.

For Town Clerk.—

Thomas L. Giles	130 votes
George G. Tarbell	1 "
Thomas J. Dee	7 "
Harold S. Cousins	29 "
William C. Robus	57 "
Andrew John Dougherty	3 "
William C. Peirce	3 "
Charles Robinson	1 "
Sumner Smith	1 "
Sadie E. Rollins	3 "

Amos R. Little	1	"
Blanks	72	"

For Selectmen, 3 Years.—

C. Lee Todd	236	votes
John F. Farrar	6	"
F. Winchester Denio	1	"
George G. Tarbell	1	"
Blanks	64	"

For Assessor, 3 Years.—

William C. Peirce	3	votes
Thomas J. Dee	147	"
Thomas L. Giles	14	"
Andrew John Dougherty	18	"
Amos R. Little	2	"
Charles W. Ellms	22	"
Benjamin Carlson	3	"
Sumner Smith	2	"
William C. Robus	1	"
Blanks	96	"

For Treasurer.—

Amos R. Little	116	votes
George G. Tarbell	172	"
Blanks	20	"

For Collector.—

Thomas L. Giles	259	votes
Charles W. Ellms	2	"
William C. Robus	1	"
Blanks	46	"

For Auditor.—

James W. Lennon	269 votes
Blanks	39 “

For Constables.—

George E. Cunningham	247 votes
John J. Kelleher	258 “

For School Committee, 3 Years.—

Anthony J. Doherty	162 votes
Charles S. Smith	121 “
Blanks	25 “

For Water Commissioner, 3 Years.—

John J. Kelleher	256 votes
Robert A. Bowman	1 “
Blanks	51 “

For Board of Health, 3 Years.—

Martin M. Welch	244 votes
Mary Dougherty	1 “
George G. Tarbell	1 “
Jonathan F. Edgerly	2 “
Blanks	60 “

For Tree Warden.—

John J. Kelleher	259 votes
Blanks	49 “

For Cemetery Commissioner, 3 Years.—

Edward F. Flint	253 votes
Blanks	55 “

For Commissioner of Trust Funds, 3 Years.—

C. Lee Todd	251 votes
Blanks	57 “

**For Trustee Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures,
3 Years.—**

C. Lee Todd	258 votes
Blanks	50 “

Attest: THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

**Proceedings of the Adjourned Town Meeting,
March 7, 1925**

Town Meeting adjourned from March 2, called to order by the Moderator, George G. Tarbell, at 1 o'clock P. M.

On motion of Lorenzo E. Brooks, it was voted the meeting stand adjourned until 1:30 o'clock.

Meeting called to order at 1:30 o'clock.

ART. 3. The Town elected the following officers to serve for one year:

Field Drivers.—

Rothwell N. MacRae
Joseph F. Eaton
Dennis M. Dougherty

Fence Viewers.—

David C. Bowen
William H. Sherman

Surveyors of Lumber.—

John F. Farrar
Elmer A. Rollins

Measurers of Wool and Bark.—

John F. Farrar
Elmer A. Rollins

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway
John T. Clark

Voted that a committee of three be appointed to prepare resolutions appropriate to the event of the death of the Town Clerk, William C. Peirce. The committee appointed were George C. Hodges, John F. Farrar and C. Lee Todd.

ART. 4. Voted that the reports of Town Officers, Committees and Commissioners be accepted, as printed in the Town Report.

A supplementary report of the Selectmen, in regard to the opening of a stone quarry in South Lincoln, as submitted, was accepted.

Report:

Subsequent to the last hearing on the petition for a license to open a stone quarry and store dynamite in Lincoln, which petition was received by the Board of Selectmen on November 24,

1924, and on which hearings were held on January 24 and on February 14, 1925, the Selectmen have voted to dismiss the petition without prejudice.

Much opposition has been made by our citizens to the granting of this license and we believe there is substantial ground for this action of the Board, as they cannot but feel that the opening of such a quarry would be a great detriment to the interests of the Town,

ART. 5. Voted that the appropriations as submitted on page 45 of the Town Report be adopted, except that the appropriation for Schools be \$29,500 and for the Library be \$1,300.

The appropriations as adopted are as follows:

Appropriations.—

For Schools and Transportation of Children	\$29,500.00
“ Support of Poor	500.00
“ Highways and Bridges	12,000.00
“ South Great Road	7,500.00
“ Library, Dog Tax and	1,300.00
“ Cemetery (to be taken from the Cemetery Fund)	500.00
“ Board of Health	500.00
“ Tree Warden	2,500.00
“ Miscellaneous Expenses	6,000.00
“ Hydrants and Other Water Service	2,400.00
“ Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400.00
“ Street Lights	1,800.00
“ Fire Department	500.00
“ District Nurse	750.00
“ Water Bonds (to be taken from Water Works Income)	500.00
“ Farm Bureau	200.00

Voted that of the total amount of the appropriations, the sum of \$15,000 be taken from the Treasury.

ART. 6. Voted that the Taxes for 1925 be collected in the same manner as last year.

ART. 7. Voted that the compensation of the Collector of Taxes be $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of the amount collected.

Voted to take up Art. 3.

ART. 3. The Committee appointed to prepare resolutions in regard to the death of William C. Peirce, submitted the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted, viz.:

Resolved: That the heartfelt sympathy of the citizens of Lincoln be extended to family of the late William Carret Peirce, a native and long an efficient officer of the Town and always a loyal friend to all its people.

And that this resolve be spread upon the records of this meeting and a copy sent to the family.

Signed: GEORGE C. HODGES,
JOHN F. FARRAR,
C. LEE TODD.

ART. 8. Voted that the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1, 1925, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor, payable in one year from the date thereof.

All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. Voted that the matter in regard to extending the water pipes from a point opposite Conant Road (so called) to the house occupied by Mr. Davis or take any action with reference to it be left to the Water Board.

ART. 10. Voted to pass over this Article.

ART. 11. Voted that a committee of three be appointed by the Chair, to consider a permanent memorial for the men of the late war. Mr. Lorenzo E. Brooks, occupying the chair at this time, made the following appointments, viz.: George G. Tarbell, F. Winchester Denio and Thomas L. Giles. George G. Tarbell declined to serve on this committee and Robert D. Donaldson was appointed in his place.

ART. 12. Voted that the matter relating to taking steps to improve three triangles in the Town, as follows: one in the center of the town, opposite the house of the late Julia A. Bemis; one on the South Great Road near Farnsworth's Corner, and one on the Concord-Wayland Road near the house of Mrs. Bunker, be left to a committee consisting of Miss Bertha Scripture, John F. Farrar and David Mann.

Voted to take up Article 5.

ART. 5. Voted that an additional appropriation of \$2,000 be made for the Highway Department, for the purchase of snow plows and a machine to cut brush.

ART. 13. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to acquire, by purchase or otherwise, land belonging to the heirs of the late Charles S. Wheeler for Cemetery purposes.

ART. 14. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to see if the Abbie J. Stearns Fund, for the purchase of a Town Hearse,

can be transferred to the Abbie J. Stearns Fund for the Public Library.

Voted to take up Article 4.

ART. 4. The following resolution was unanimously adopted, viz.:

Resolved: That whereas Charles S. Smith, in addition to giving the Town of Lincoln the schoolhouse lot of land, now used as a playground, has also contributed the cost of grading the land, be it resolved that the citizens show their appreciation by a rising vote of thanks and that a copy of this resolution be spread on the records of the Town.

ART. 15. Voted that a committee be appointed, consisting of the Fire Engineers, to consider the whole matter contained in this Article and report to the Selectmen, who are hereby given authority to prove an expenditure sufficient to purchase a 400-gallon pumping engine.

ART. 16. Voted to take up Article 5 in connection with Article 16.

ART. 5. Voted that \$200 be appropriated and used in co-operation with the Middlesex County Extension Service.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest: THOMAS L. GILES.

March 14, 1925.

Martin M. Welch has this day been appointed Inspector of Animals, to serve until March 31, 1926.

Signed: CHARLES S. SMITH,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
C. LEE TODD,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

April 9, 1925.

Elmer A. Rollins was this day sworn as Measurer of Wood and Bark and Surveyor of Lumber.

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

The following have been appointed and sworn as Special Police:

George Redman Hartwell
Isaac Langille
Herbert G. Farrar
Mathew H. Doherty
William M. Hilliard
Winslow A. Eaton
Frederick H. Pollard
Hector J. McLean
Henry Warner

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

Proceedings at Congressional Primary Election
June 16, 1925

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Town Hall, Tuesday, the sixteenth day of June, 1925, at twelve o'clock Noon, for the following purpose:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following office:

Representative in Congress, for the Fifth Congressional District, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Jacob Rogers, and for the remainder of the term of two years, from the fourth day of March, 1925.

The polls will be open from 12 o'clock Noon to 6:30 o'clock P. M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fourth day of June, A. D. 1925.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

The following return is on the back of this Warrant:

June 9, 1925.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one in the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the meeting was called by the Town Clerk, Thomas L. Giles, who read the Warrant and administered the oath to Charles M. Robinson, Ballot Clerk, and A. Harriet Peirce, Teller.

The Polls were declared open at 12:15 P. M.

The Polls were closed at 6:30 P. M.

There were 17 ballots cast, nine men and eight women having voted.

There were 17 Republican ballots cast and no Democratic ballots. This count agrees with the counter on the ballot box and the check lists used.

The result of the ballot was as follows:

Republican Party.—

George H. Brown

0 votes

James Wilson Grimes
Edith Nourse Rogers

10 "
7 "

Democratic Party.—

0 votes

Total

17 votes

Attest: THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

**Proceedings at Special Election to Fill Vacancy
Caused by the Death of John Jacob Rogers,
June 30, 1925**

Meeting called to order by Selectman Robert D. Donaldson,
who read the Warrant:

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Town Hall, Tuesday, the thirtieth day of June, 1925, at twelve o'clock Noon, for the following purpose:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following office:

The polls will be open from 12 o'clock Noon to 6:30 o'clock P. M.

Representative in Congress, for the Fifth Congressional District, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Jacob Rogers, and for the remainder of the term of two years, from the fourth day of March, 1925.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting at-

tested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this day of June A. D. 1925.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

On the Back of this Warrant is the following return:

Lincoln, June 23, 1925.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one in Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
• *Constable of Lincoln.*

Pursuant to the above Warrant the Polls were opened at 12 o'clock M. and the following Ballot Clerks and Tellers were sworn: Thomas J. Dee, Ballot Clerk; A. Harriet Peirce and Edith C. Stone, Tellers.

The Polls closed at 6:30 P. M.

The whole number of ballots cast were 73. This number agreed with the counter on the ballot box and the check lists used by the Election Officers.

Of the total vote cast,

Eugene N. Foss received	19 votes
Edith Nourse Rogers received	54 "

Attest: THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

Vital Statistics

There have been recorded during the year ending Dec. 31, 1925, 15 Marriages, 16 Births and 20 Deaths.

Marriages Registered

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
Jan. 19, 1925	Peter Jensen, Jr. Carla Wilhelmine Pederson	Roxbury Lincoln
March 18, 1925	Elmer A. Bean Muriel M. Wildes	Lincoln Beverly
April 3, 1925	George A. Somes Lillian P. Smith	Lincoln Lincoln
May 9, 1925	William D. Mort Catherine T. Lynch	Lincoln Lincoln
May 16, 1925	Percival H. Foster Mary T. Bryant	Lincoln Brookline
May 27, 1925	David Cummings Bowen Edith Hildegard Backman	Lincoln Waltham
May 29, 1925	Theron Belden Shaw Estelle May Styniert	Lincoln Somerville
June 5, 1925	Conrad Perkins Hatheway Louise Ayer Gordon	Lincoln Lincoln
May 23, 1925	Kenneth Cooper Hamilton Eleanor Mae Taylor	Lincoln Osterville
May 20, 1925	Richard Grant Pike Helen Hart Peirce	Lincoln Lincoln
June 28, 1925	Alexander Henry Higginson Mary De Wolf Newcomb Edeson	Lincoln New York, N. Y.
July 15, 1925	Carroll Harry Pike Anna Harriet Peirce	Lincoln Lincoln
Nov. 4, 1925	John H. Coane, Jr. Omolia Panther	Lincoln Lincoln
Nov. 25, 1925	James Inglis Jenet Viola McDonald	Lincoln Weston
Oct. 31, 1925	John F. Roberts Mildred Hogan	Lincoln Auburndale

Births Registered

Date of Birth	Name	Name of Parents
June 25, 1924	William Alfred Burgess	William J. and Katherine M (Ryan)
Jan. 19, 1924	Jaqueline Margaret Connair	John T. and Margaret J. (Casey)
Jan. 20, 1924	Ashley Bird Cousins, Jr.	Ashley B. and Catherine A. (Murray)
Mar. 3, 1924	Bessie May Matheson	David and Pearl (Franklin)
Oct. 5, 1924	Harold Gardner Frost	Clarence G. and Martha E. (Byam)
Feb. 25, 1925	Edward LeRoy Gregory	LeRoy H. and Edna F. (Dyer)
July 14, 1925	John Farrar Giles	Thomas T. and Stella (Campbell)
Apr. 9, 1925	Congetta Catore	Angelo and Maria. (Deloricario)
Aug. 7, 1925	Scofield	Ernet J. and Laura E. (Kenney)
Aug. 18, 1925	William Irving Powers	James F. and Georgia (Murray)
Sept. 22, 1925	Marion Otelia Seekins	Lester W. and Martha (Johansen)
Jan. 26, 1925	Stewart Gordon Dickson	Stewart G. and Christine (McPhee)
Feb. 16, 1925	Barbara Jane Kinney	Robert C. and Alice G. (Whittemore)
Feb. 24, 1925	Robert Cleland Mann	David W. and Ira S. (Cleland)
June 24, 1925	Earl Wyett MacLeod	Earl W. and Ethel L. (Bere)
Oct. 29, 1925	Ruth Mitchel Davis	Prescot L. and Laura G. (Sherman)

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS Chap. 29 AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they were in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred a notice stating the date and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offence. The notice required by this Section need not be given if the notice required by the following Section is given within forty-eight hours after the birth occurs.

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given

to the clerk of the City or Town, in which such child is born.

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Deaths Registered

Date of Death	Name	Age		
		Y.	M.	D.
Jan. 11, 1925	Edith D. Somes	54	4	3
Jan. 23, 1925	George Joseph Coan		1	25
Jan. 24, 1925	Jeanne C. Higginson	38	5	24
Jan. 29, 1925	Carl T. Cunnert	76	10	23
Jan. 22, 1925	Dorothy Elizabeth Frost	3	2	16
Feb. 3, 1925	Charles P. Farnsworth	77	2	11
Mar. 1, 1925	William Carret Peirce	67	3	18
Mar. 18, 1925	Mary Ann Brandon	59	2	26
Mar. 22, 1925	Samuel S. Davidson	69	4	1
Jan. 16, 1925	Elizabeth Dorcas Farrar	95	11	21
Apr. 23, 1925	Emma V. Sims	47		28
Feb. 18, 1925	Katherine F. Dodge	84	4	7
May 16, 1925	Charles A. Simpson	79	6	3
May 1, 1921	Harriet E. Ham	80	8	5
June 4, 1925	Nathan Edward Martin	63	5	29
July 26, 1925	James J. Flannery	64	10	28
July 1, 1925	John W. Sims	51	2	5
Aug. 8, 1925	Alice Martin	46	10	19
Oct. 27, 1925	John William Rooney	75		
Nov. 27, 1925	Mary Ann Crowley	54	8	17

JURY LIST FOR 1925

As prepared by the Selectmen of Lincoln

JURY LIST FOR 1925

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Bowman, Robert A.	South Lincoln	Salesman
Coburn, Edward S.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Codman, Thomas N.	South Lincoln	Retired
Cousins, Harold S.	Lincoln	Farmer
Crook, Russel G.	South Lincoln	Sculptor
Davis, E. Russell	South Lincoln	Clerk
Dee, Thomas J.	Concord, R.F.D.	Farmer
DeNormandie, William J.	Lincoln	Farmer
Farrar, John F.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Flint, Edward F.	Lincoln	Farmer
Giles, Thomas L.	South Lincoln	Town Clerk
Hamilton, D. Lincoln	Lincoln	Farmer
Hartwell, J. Redman	Concord, R.F.D.	Farmer
Little, Amos R.	Lincoln	Lawyer
McHugh, John E.	Concord, R.D.	Farmer
Robus, William C.	Lincoln	Tel. Repairman
Tarbell, George G.	Lincoln	Farmer
Warner, Henry	South Lincoln	Student
Welch, Martin M.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Wheeler, C. Edgar	Lincoln	Farmer

Licenses Issued in 1925

There have been 132 Dog Licenses issued to December 31, 1925—98 males, 24 females, 9 spayed females, and 1 Kennel License—for which the County Treasurer has been paid \$371.20.

There have been issued 31 Combination Hunters Certificates, 17 Hunting and Trapping Certificates, 8 Fishing Certificates, and 3 Minor Trappers' Certificates for the year 1925, for which the sum of \$82.25 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1925:

The Board was organized by the choice of Charles S. Smith, Chairman, and R. D. Donaldson, Secretary.

Appointments

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Forest Warden and Moth Superintendent, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, Martin M. Welch.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, Winslow A. Eaton, J. Redmond Hartwell, Isaac Langille, William M. Hilliard, Henry Warner.

District Nurse Committee, George G. Tarbell, Robert D. Donaldson, Mrs. Edith B. Farrar.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1925 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1925	The Selectmen recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year
For Schools, and		\$25,200.00
Transportation of Children	\$28,500.00	6,300.00
Support of Poor	500.00	500.00
Highways and Bridges	12,000.00	12,000.00
South Great Road (taken from money in Treasury)	7,500.00	7,500.00
Library and Dog Tax	1,300.00	1,000.00
Cemeteries (from Cemetery Fund)	500.00	500.00
For purchase of additional land for cemetery		500.00
Board of Health	500.00	500.00
Tree Warden	500.00	
Miscellaneous Expenses includ- ing Police Expenses	6,000.00	8,500.00
Hydrants and other Water Service	2,400.00	2,400.00
Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400.00	400.00
Street Lamps	1,800.00	1,800.00
Fire Department	500.00	500.00
District Nurse	750.00	
Payment of Water Bonds (taken from Water Works income)	500.00	500.00

Following the policy which has been in operation for several years, the re-building of what is known as the South Great Road, another section of this road has been constructed during

the past year at a cost of about \$22,000. One-third of the cost being borne each by the State, the County and the Town. It is expected that this work will be continued during the coming year and that the re-building of this road will be completed.

On account of the re-valuation of the Town by the State authorities, whereby the valuation has been increased from approximately \$2,268,000 to upwards of \$3,500,000, unless further legislation is passed the Town will probably not receive, as it has been receiving in past years, State aid on account of schools and highways. An effort, however, will be made by the towns affected by this re-valuation by the State to have the law so changed that sums may be received as heretofore, but it is problematical whether legislation will be passed to enable the Towns to receive these sums.

In accordance with the vote of the Town, passed at the last Annual Meeting, whereby authorization was given to purchase an additional pumping engine for the use of the Fire Department of capacity of 400 gallons per minute, an opportunity was presented during the year to purchase a pumping engine of capacity of 600 gallons per minute for a small additional cost, which the Selectmen and Fire Engineers thought it was advisable to do. The cost of the new pumping engine is \$8,500 and only \$8,000 expenditure from the money in the Treasury was authorized. Therefore the Selectmen recommend that the Town appropriate the additional money necessary to pay for the purchase as above reported and that the sum of \$8,500 be taken from the money in the Treasury for this purpose.

With the fire protection which the Town now has it is expected that the insurable property of the Town will be transferred from what is called Class "D" to Class "C," which should result in a considerable saving in insurance premiums to citizens of the Town.

The Town has three important departments which have to do with public works, that of the Highway, the Water Works,

and the Forestry and Gypsy Moth. The Selectmen believe that if these departments could be co-ordinated so that they might be under one superintendent with assistant superintendents, who would be conversant with all the public work connected with these departments, the Town would have a much better organization than it has at present and one that would function, in case of sickness or accident to the head of the department, much better than it could now function. The Selectmen speak of this matter so that the citizens may have an opportunity to consider it carefully before any definite action is taken.

Taxation

The Selectmen can see nothing but a higher tax rate. They, therefore, suggest possible ways and means of economizing without causing much, if any, damage to the ultimate welfare of the citizens. For a great many years the Town has appropriated a substantial sum for the suppression of the brown-tail and gypsy moth. Large sums have also been appropriated and expended heretofore by the State for this work. On account of the elimination very largely of these pests the State is at present making a very small appropriation for their suppression. It is, we believe, safe for the Town to very largely reduce this appropriation, if not to eliminate it altogether. One may now go into areas that have never had any money expended on them on account of these pests and find them in as good or better condition than areas that have had large amounts of money expended upon them, indicating that Nature has arrived at a balance and that the parasites that prey upon the brown-tail and gypsy moths have been quite as successful in eliminating them as the artificial means that have been heretofore used.

Previous to the year 1916, when the Legislature passed the Income Tax Law, the Town had an income from the tax on intangible property of approximately \$40,000. By the working of the Income Tax Law and amendments thereto the Town

has received \$15,000 during the last year on account of the income taxes collected by the State and paid over to the Town, which is approximately on the same property on which the Town formerly received an income of \$40,000, the Town having lost by this change in the law an increasing amount each year, approximating \$25,000 in 1925. This, together with the large valuation placed on the Town by the Department of Corporations and Taxation this year means much in the way of lost revenue to the Town and raises the question in the minds of your officials whether it pays to practise efficiency and economy in Town government, which the officials have endeavored to practise in years past, only to have the State pass such laws as to turn the income formerly had by the Town to the advantage of cities and towns which have been most profligate in their expenditures.

Finances

The Sinking Fund Commissioners' report indicates that there is a balance of \$2,670.00 in the fund for the retirement of schoolhouse bonds in excess of the amount necessary to liquidate the outstanding bonds.

The financial condition of the Town as of January 1, 1926, is as follows:

The outstanding bonded indebtedness on account of the Water Works, as reported by the Treasurer, is \$61,000.00; there is available in the Sinking Fund, to retire the bonds at maturity, securities and cash of the value of \$41,424.00; this, together with the reported uncollected water bills and current cash on hand of \$15,017.50, leaves a net indebtedness of \$4,558.50. It will be noticed that the Water Department has paid into the general treasury the amount of indebtedness which was owed, amounting to \$6,032.13, and it is a matter for congratulation that the Water Department has been able to

liquidate, with interest, the debt to the Town Treasury which was contracted in 1912.

The Treasurer's report shows the balance in the treasury on January 1, 1926, of \$15,766.64. The Collector reports uncollected taxes on January 1, 1925, of \$7,506.73. This makes available for the treasury, on account of balance in the treasury and uncollected taxes, \$23,273.37, to which should be added the excess cash in the hands of the Sinking Fund Commissioners of \$2,670, or a total of \$25,943.37, or \$5,194.86 less than reported the previous year. Considering that there was taken from the available money in the treasury during the last year \$15,000 on account of current expenses and \$7,276.39 on account of special construction on the South Great Road, making a total of \$22,276.39, the amount still remaining in the treasury is very satisfactory.

The business of the Town, as it has been conducted by the various officers and departments of the Town, is embodied in their printed reports.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
C. LEE TODD,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO IMPROVE TRIANGLES

The Committee appointed "to take steps to improve the triangles in the Town" submit the following recommendations:

I. Triangle in center of Town opposite the house of the late Miss Bemis.

In view of the great danger from collisions at this corner, the Committee recommend that the road on the lower side by the house of Mrs. Wilcox be grassed over and the road on the upper side be widened, and that, if necessary, the two hydrants be moved farther down hill, so that there shall be one broad road on the upper side of the triangle, commanding a view of the Pond Road, instead of two narrow roads, each having a sharp corner with obstructed view around the corner. The Committee make no recommendation in regard to the temporary Memorial to the Veterans of the World War, because they understand that it is soon to be removed and a permanent memorial placed elsewhere.

As an alternative measure at this triangle at the center of the Town, the Committee suggest making the road by the house of the late Miss Bemis a one way road for vehicles going toward Sandy Pond and that the road near the house of Mrs. Wilcox be a one way road for vehicles coming from Sandy Pond.

II. Triangle on South Great Road at Farnsworth Corner.

The Committee recommend that shrubs be planted or boulders placed at each side to prevent automobiles from crossing, and that the grass be kept mown.

III. Triangle on Concord-Wayland Road near the house of Mrs. Bunker.

The Committee recommend that the roadway which has been made by automobiles cutting across this triangle should be grassed over ; that enough loam should be put on to level the surface of the whole triangle and grass seed sown ; that boulders should be set on the edges to keep cars off ; and that the grass be kept mown.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. FARRAR,
BERTHA SCRIPTURES,
DAVID W. MANN.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

Contagious diseases reported during the year 1925:

- Chicken pox—1.
- Diphtheria—4.
- Dog bite—1.
- German measles—3.
- Lobar pneumonia—2.
- Measles—5.
- Scarlet fever—4.
- Pulmonary tuberculosis—1.
- Tuberculosis of the glands—1.
- Whooping cough—3.
- Suppurative conjunctivitis—10.

MARTIN M. WELCH,
GEORGE G. TARBELL.
ROBERT D. DONALDSON.

REPORT OF THE LINCOLN TOWN NURSE

To the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen:

In compliance with your request I submit for the information of the Town the record of our nursing service for the year just closed.

Miss Edith Backman served as Town Nurse until her resignation at the end of May and Miss Dorothy C. Rudolf was engaged in her place. Miss Rudolf came on duty on September 10. Both of these nurses have filled the position most acceptably.

Owing to the change of nurses the work has covered a period of a little less than nine months. The number of district calls during this time has been 409—a figure very nearly equal to the 429 made during twelve months in 1924. A new feature this year has been the introduction of the John Hancock Nursing Service which is extended by this insurance company to certain classes of policy-holders. For such service the company pays the Town and thus the amount collected from fees is increased.

One very important phase of this public health project has to do with the schools. This branch of the work Miss Rudolf has described in detail in her report to the School Committee. The employment of a full-time nurse by the Town makes it possible to have a nurse in the schools during some part of each day and the results are beginning to show in better attendance records, and increased interest in health matters on the part of both pupils and parents, as well as in improved health among the children.

The usual financial arrangement has been in force. The nurse's salary has been obtained from the sum of \$750 appro-

priated by the Town, plus \$400 from the School Committee, plus the earnings from Sudbury, which amounted to \$305 during 1925. The amount of fees collected, \$134.30, has paid the running expenses of the car, the use of which is contributed by the Red Cross. This service is hereby gratefully acknowledged. Your Committee hopes that a similar arrangement can be made for the current year.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH B. FARRAR.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1925:

During January there were several bad snowstorms which kept the men and truck busy breaking out the roads. After the month of January very little snow fell.

In February and March sand was teamed to the South road, and the shoulders along this road made ready for the spring work.

After the frost was out of the ground we filled the ruts with crushed stone, and scraped the gravel roads. Several times during the season the hard surfaced roads were patched, and practically all of the roads in the town received one or more applications of oil and tarvia.

After the roads were put in good condition for the summer we built about one mile of penetration road on the South Great Road, widened the corners and laid up stone walls near Mrs. Gately's property and W. A. Blodgett's property; also widened some of the bad curves on the Flint road. In addition gravel was teamed for the following year, for the shoulders along the State, County and Town road.

The amount expended for maintenance this year was approximately as follows:

Hay, grain and straw	\$1,650
Supplies	10,600
Repairs, shoeing, etc.	1,600
Outside snow work	750

Rent, water and light	550
Supt's salary, labor, etc.	5,650

\$20,800

Amount of credit due the Highway Department	6,500
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Total spent for maintenance of high- ways	\$14,300
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The amount spent on the State, County and Town road is approximately as follows:

Labor	\$7,000
Supplies	12,100
Repairs on truck, etc.	200
Sand, gravel, etc.	250
Coal	150
Teams	2,830
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	\$22,530

The guide boards are in good condition, old ones having been replaced with new, where necessary.

Otherwise the Highway Department is in about the same condition as last year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF THE FIRE ENGINEERS

South Lincoln, Mass.,
January 18, 1926.

To the Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their Eighteenth Annual Report ending December 31, 1925.

Force

The Fire Department consists of the following: One chief, six engineers and nineteen call men.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: One six hundred gallon pump, two combination trucks, twenty-seven extinguishers, seven ladders and 2,200 feet of hose.

Location of Apparatus

Pump and No. 2 combination truck at Doherty Garage and No. 3 combination truck at T. J. Dee's.

Fires

Sixty-four alarms have been answered.

Pump and No. 2 combination truck—8 chimney, 34 forest, 3 building, and 3 auto fires.

No. 3 combination truck—1 chimney, 1 house, 11 forest and 3 auto fires.

Total loss \$3,200.

A six hundred gallon LaFrance pump has been added, making a good equipment for the force.

MATTHEW H. DOHERTY, *Chief*,
THOMAS J. DEE,
HAROLD S. COUSINS,
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY, JR.,
JOHN J. KELLIHER,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,
SUMNER SMITH.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the moneys paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen of Lincoln.

I have visited Mr. Todd at his office and was shown all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,
Auditor.

SCHOOLS

PAYMENTS

Town Treasurer, Teachers' Salary, including Janitor's Services	\$15,347.81
Mass. Teachers Retirement Fund, Retirement Fund	643.75
Boston & Maine R. R., Students Tickets	815.00
City of Boston, Tuition	793.80
City of Waltham, Tuition	1,062.50
City of Somerville, Tuition	66.66
City of Newton, Tuition	204.00
Town of Concord, Tuition	1,808.80
Town of Lexington, Tuition	45.75
Doherty's Garage, Transportation of Children	3,812.75
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation of Children	1,322.50
Winslow A. Eaton, Transportation of Pupil	213.60
Isabel Taillacy, Transportation of Pupil	64.00

Edward Graf, Transportation of Pupil	2.08
Harriet Lindsay, Transportation of Children	72.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	57.44
Edison Electric Ill'g. Co., Service	37.58
Henry A. Wood, M. D., Professional Services	200.00
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	10.86
Lincoln Water Works, Service	75.50
Edith Farrar, Taking Census	15.00
Charles E. Woodhull, Care of Piano	32.00
George G. Tarbell, Wood	45.00
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	529.07
Charles S. Smith, Coal	85.68
N. N. Love, Teaching & Expense charges	113.04
Commonwealth of Public Safety, Inspecting Boilers	4.00
LaTorrest Robbins, Supplies	1.50
Harris & Gilpatrick, Supplies	60.04
J. L. Hammett Co., Supplies	137.24
E. R. Wheeler, Supplies	26.80
H. T. Spencer, Supplies	6.50
Ginn & Company, Supplies	19.69
Hall & McClary Co., Supplies	1.46
Charles E. Merrill Co., Supplies	5.04
Charles Scribners & Sons, Supplies	21.83
Andrews Paper Co., Supplies	45.00
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins, Supplies	12.00
Jones, McDuffy & Stratton, Supplies	10.97
The McMillan Co., Supplies	12.84
Waltham Lumber Co., Supplies	28.21
R. D. Donaldson, Supplies	2.47
Waltham Publishing Co., Supplies	3.75
H. S. Turner, Supplies	7.20
Carpenter, Morton Co., Supplies	12.17
Supt. of Documents, Supplies	.65
Houghton, Mifflin Co., Supplies	27.38
A. C. Bacon, Supplies	31.44
Mass. Bible Society, Supplies	1.75

E. E. Babb Co., Supplies	39.88
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	11.91
Park Snow Co., Supplies	2.21
Dept. of Public Schools, Supplies	.50
Jordan Marsh Co., Supplies	9.50
C. M. Robinson, Supplies	8.20
Rollins Bros., Supplies	58.59
Palmer Co., Supplies	2.99
Ellsworth Reed Co., Supplies	3.26
D. A. Frazier, Supplies	2.40
World Book Co., Supplies	26.61
D. C. Heath, Supplies	7.37
J. W. Brine Co., Supplies	14.45
J. W. Winston Co., Supplies	52.07
David Farquhar, Supplies	13.00
F. E. Compton Co., Supplies	55.00
A. G. Davis, Supplies	.90
H. B. Hazard, Supplies	1.50
E. B. Reed, Supplies	4.50
Doherty Garage, Supplies	10.75
Geographical Publishing Co., Supplies	4.64
Current Events, Supplies	9.00
C. Cobb Co., Supplies	4.09
Geo. T. Johnson, Supplies	24.00
J. B. Hunter Co., Supplies	36.81
J. B. Lippincott, Supplies	6.49
Underwood Typewriter Co., Supplies	286.25
Westinghouse Electrical & Mfg. Co., Supplies	32.10
L. E. Knott Co., Supplies	5.41
C. M. Robinson, Express charges	56.30
I. N. MacRae Co., Labor & Supplies	152.10
Langille Bros., Labor & Supplies	166.97
H. S. Howe, Repairs on clock	14.00
Malcolm Graf, Labor	1.50
Dan. McAskill, Labor	2.00

Geo. Cunningham, Mowing & Cutting Wood	13.00
Laffins-Bedford Express, Expressing	.60
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HIGHWAY SPECIAL

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt., Labor on Highway	\$684.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	444.00
Joseph Mahan	796.00
Timothy F. Crowley	564.00
William H. Ryan	440.00
John F. Farrar	1,006.00
John W. Rooney	378.00
Geo. Monilla	370.00
Andrew Doherty	748.00
Michael Conners	198.00
H. B. Eldredge	396.00
John Rooney 3rd	127.50
L. Eldredge	111.00
James Ryan	156.00
Sam Ielson	45.00
W. J. Hunter	69.00
Thomas L. Giles, Gravel	156.00
S. H. Blodgett, M. D., Gravel	43.13
Herbert G. Farrar, Sand	109.00
George E. Hunter, Labor	6.65
John H. McCusker	237.00
Lincoln Highway Dept., Labor of horses	2,130.75
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	109.69
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	1,681.25

J. P. Hakey	1,930.50
General Crushed Stone Co.	8,821.99
C. H. Clark	13.40
Winslow Lumber Co.	57.30
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	21,829.16

HIGHWAY STATE AID

William Sherman, Sup. Labor on Highways	\$684.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	442.00
William H. Ryan	440.00
John W. Rooney	440.00
George Monilla	440.00
Timothy F. Crowley	234.00
Joseph Mahan	234.00
James Ryan	32.00
Martin J. Rooney	24.00
Michael Connors	20.00
Lincoln Highway Dept., Labor of Horses	782.50
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Supplies	994.76
The Barrett Co.	2,089.20
Standard Oil Co.	2,036.84
Texas Company	993.30
General Crushed Stone Co.	290.13
Klaur Bros.	125.62
Doherty Garage	113.41
South Lincoln Garage	3.12
Burgess Garage, Labor & Supplies	26.59
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	\$10,445.47

HIGHWAY

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor on Highways	\$544.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	328.00
Joseph E. Mahan	120.00
Timothy F. Crowley	120.00
William H. Ryan	304.00
J. W. Rooney	288.00
Geo. Monilla	316.00
Martin J. Rooney	8.00
Patrick Craven	
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Grain, Straw, etc.	1,094.58
Daniel McAskill, Shoeing & Repairing	272.00
John A. Burgess, Labor & Supplies	341.40
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	14.02
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registration 1926	75.00
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service	12.01
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	16.75
C. S. Smith, Rent of Barn	400.00
Thomas F. Coan, Care of Horses	360.00
Daniel E. Sherman, Hay	185.00
Allen B. Sherman, Hay	365.00
Water Commissioners, Water Service	37.00
W. E. Peterson, Services	24.00
R. A. Sibley, Services	10.00
D. M. Clary, Rent of Land	25.00
James E. Baker, Wood	5.00
Klaus Bros., Supplies	15.79
Dyar Sales & Mach. Co.	412.53
Macone Garage	1.71
Laugille Bros.	14.74
Harry Saunders	2.00
E. B. Reed	5.00

William H. Sherman	17.50
C. H. Clark	7.00
Peter Perry	85.30
N. E. Road & Mach. Co.	701.60
Davol Printing House	2.99
South Lincoln Garage	407.58
Allen B. Sherman	3.50
H. A. Grimwood	87.44
Benj. W. Pike	21.00
Rollins Bros.	.78
R. B. McKinn	13.00
Lexington Lumber Co., Supplies	402.15
Doherty Garage	177.44
Barrett Mfg. Co.	671.73
Isaac N. MacRae Co., Labor & Supplies	13.42
Herbert Neally, Labor & Supplies	15.00
C. Olson, Stone Work	187.25
G. E. Hunter, Labor	87.86
Joseph Sousa, Labor on Snow	18.00
Herbert G. Farrar	54.00
John Wilson	35.00
F. A. & W. J. Porter	116.00
Andrew J. Dougherty	204.50
Robert B. Hunter	40.00
John E. McHugh	40.00
Bert Pearson	16.50
Ralph E. Butcher	40.00
Daniel E. Sherman	54.00
M. J. Baskin	40.00
Geo. E. Cunningham	48.00
Geo. U. Browning	22.00
E. S. Coburn, Crushed Stone	10.00
Annie Morrissey, Gravel & Sand	26.25
Eugene Jose, Stone	7.00

General Crushed Stone Co., Crushed Stone	739.08
Horace Sorensen, Sand & Gravel	36.25
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	\$10,380.65

WATER

PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Power & Light	1,743.14
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service of Telephone	27.56
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due May 1	87.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept.	367.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Dec. 1	227.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due March 1	245.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons	390.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due June 1	175.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	147.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Dec. 1	262.50
First Nat'l Bank, Bonds due Sept. 1	500.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest due March 1	52.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest	227.50
Robert B. Hunter, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
Sumner Smith, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Supt.	475.00
T. L. Giles, Collecting Water Rates, & Postage for 1924 & 1925	510.16
Town Treas., Loan 1912	4,787.51
Town Treas., Interest on Loan	1,244.62
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest Reg'd Bonds	132.50
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	2.58
Laffins Bedford Co., Express	4.75
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	3.52

L. C. Robinson, Reading Meters	20.00
Builder's Iron Foundry, Supplies	12.41
Church, Tyler Co.	72.64
F. A. Handlette Co.	118.02
Red Hed Mfg. Co.	150.02
National Meter Co.	157.60
A. M. Byers Co.	50.19
George C. Coldwell	33.87
Rumsey Pump Co.	53.01
Chapman Valve Co.	9.31
Rollins Bros.	11.65
Walworth Mfg. Co.	62.55
Doherty Garage Co.	9.53
Daniel McAskill, Supplies	3.75
Henry A. Grimwood	1.10
Eddy Valve Co.	20.31
I. N. MacRae Co., Labor	227.27
A. J. Dougherty	37.00
Ashley Cousins	6.00
Daniel Holman	2.00
Fred Tyler	14.00
P. J. Lennon	6.00
Moth Department	700.00
Angus McLeod	5.00
Langille Bros., Labor & Supplies	6.10

\$13,453.17

INTEREST

PAYMENTS

Sinking & Trust Fund Commrs., Interest, 2-\$5,000	
Loans	\$113.75
Lincoln Water Commrs., Interest, \$11,000 Loan	145.84
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	\$259.59

MISCELLANEOUS

 PAYMENTS

Edward Bannon, Care of Public Buildings	\$720.00
William H. Sherman, Services as Assessor	75.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Assessor	100.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services as Assessor	50.00
C. Lee Todd, Services as Selectman & Overseer	200.00
R. D. Donaldson, Services as Selectman & Overseer	200.00
C. S. Smith, Services as Selectman & Overseer	200.00
James W. Lennon, Services as Auditor	125.00
Charles E. Woodhull, Care of piano	41.00
Michael Craven, Labor at Town Hall	7.50
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service of Light	83.02
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services of Telephone	51.52
C. S. Smith, 5 long ton Coal @ \$16.40	88.96
C. S. Smith, 16.08 long ton Coal	258.48
T. L. Giles, Perambulating Town Lines	20.00
Hergert G. Farrar, Perambulating Town Lines	10.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Perambulating Town Lines	10.00
Frank Cunningham, Perambulating Town Lines	5.00
George G. Tarbell, Services as Town Treasurer	300.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Special Police	\$15.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services at Election and Primaries	10.00
Charles M. Robinson, Services at Election and Primaries	15.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Services at Election	5.00
Mrs. Fred Bodley, Services at Election	5.00
Doherty Garage, Services at Election	13.90
M. M. Welch, Inspecting Cattle	55.42
Boston & Maine R.R., Freight	6.57
Water Commissioners, Water Service	50.00
Constance Crook, Taking Town Census	50.00
Harriet Peirce Pike, Services at Election and Primaries	10.00

Edith Stone, Services at Election	5.00
The Minute Man Press, Printing	9.00
P. B. Murphy, Printing	3.95
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	607.85
American R.R. Ex. Co., Express	23.68
Isaac Langille, Services as Fish and Game Warden	1.00
Isaac Langille, Services as Special Police	40.00
Mark Mara, Refinishing Interior	535.00
Mark Mara, Painting Schoolhouse	590.00
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Taxes, 1924	585.59
Giles Bros., Sawing Wood	9.00
Fritz Cunnert, Hauling Wood	8.00
Estate of W. C. Peirce, Services as Town Clerk and Postage	30.41
A. S. Hill, 2 Town Bonds	150.00
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	2.62
Dept. of Conservation	24.00
George Tarbell	29.53
Lee Tire Co.	29.08
W. & L. E. Gurley	5.68
Thomas Groom & Co.	4.50
Rollins Bros.	8.36
Doherty Garage	113.53
John J. Kelliher, Services as Constable	275.00
Thomas J. Dee, Storing Fire Truck	84.00
Mary F. Loughlin, Multigraphing, etc.	5.00
Emma F. Bush, Multigraphing, etc.	6.67
Edward Graf, Labor	11.50
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Labor	3.74
I. N. MacRae Co., Labor	160.22
Calvin W. Childs, Labor	7.60
L. Pearson, Fighting Fires	12.50
Charles Lamont	2.50
Jack Penketh	1.50
A. Burns	1.50
E. Butcher	1.50

James Ryan	2.00
Douglass Langille	1.50
Waldo Langille	2.50
George Cook	1.00
F. Nelson	2.00
A. Lamoine	2.00
Andrew Doherty	1.00
James Corrigan	3.00
F. Brown	2.00
W. Murray	2.00
L. Foley	2.00
T. Lynch	3.50
J. Farzio	13.00
J. W. Kirkpatrick, Fighting Fires	2.00
William C. Robus	24.00
A. S. Brooks	7.50
Allen Dougherty	5.00
L. E. Brooks	4.00
E. Graf	2.00
Hector McLean	1.50
Tom Johanson	1.50
John Hargrove	3.00
Henry Nevilles	2.00
John McHugh	5.50
W. P. Richardson	4.00
Louis Frechette	3.00
J. M. Nevilles	3.00
Elmer Rollins	9.50
Thomas Diamond	8.00
William Diamond	6.00
J. M. Heald	9.00
E. J. Franz	1.50
J. R. Hartwell, Fighting Fires	10.50
G. G. Whitney	7.50
T. G. Whitney	2.50
Malcolm Graf	2.00

George Hersey	2.00
R. MacRae	13.00
J. Coan	3.00
Bert Pearson	11.00
Ralph Butcher	12.50
John Algeo	14.00
Thomas J. Dee	52.36
Herbert G. Farrar	21.50
Sumner Smith	21.00
William A. Robus	9.50
Sumner Smith, Services as Fire Engineer	25.00
Herbert G. Farrar	25.00
M. H. Doherty	25.00
H. S. Cousins	25.00
J. J. Kelliher	25.00
Thomas J. Dee	25.00
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	\$6,859.04

MOTHS

PAYMENTS

John J. Kelliher, Services as Superintendent	\$1,200.00
Ashley Cousins, Labor	1,172.00
Fred Tyler	452.00
P. J. Lennon	428.00
Jack Penketh	160.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	21.19
C. S. Smith, Rent	100.00
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	4.50
Rollins Bros.	3.25
General Chemical Co.	553.89
Frost Insecticide Co.	70.50

Doherty Garage	8.83
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	61.88
Doherty Garage, Delivering Freight	3.75
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	\$4,239.79

DISTRICT NURSE

PAYMENTS

Edith H. Backman, Salary from December 10, 1924-May 22, 1925	\$668.79
Dorothy C. Rudolf, Salary	375.00
Dorothy C. Rudolf, Supplies	4.00
Doherty Garage, Labor and Supplies	131.17
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	\$2,432.00

LIBRARY

PAYMENTS

John F. Farrar, Treas., Appropriation	\$1,300.00
John F. Farrar, Treas., Dog Tax	280.42
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	\$1,580.42

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

PAYMENT

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$400.00
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HYDRANTS AND OTHER WATER SERVICE

 PAYMENTS

Water Commissioners, 124 Hydrants	\$1,860.00
Water Commissioners, Watering Troughs	572.00
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	\$2,432.00

CEMETERY

 PAYMENTS

Water Commissioners, Water	\$20.00
Fritz Cunnert, Labor	192.00
James Mosher	234.00
James Ryan	62.00
Thomas Cotton	44.00
J. Columbus	12.00
Rollins Bros., Supplies	15.30
H. F. Tuttle, Surveying	20.00
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	\$599.30

FIRE DEPARTMENT

 PAYMENTS

W. A. Eaton, Storing Fire Equipments, 1922-23-24	\$24.00
Doherty Garage, Labor and Supplies, also Storing Truck	478.42
H. S. Cousins, Labor	33.00

Boston Woven Hose Co., Supplies	490.00
Eastern Drug Co.	10.76
Merrimac Chemical Co.	8.80
American LaFrance Co.	5.25
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	\$1,050.23

MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

PAYMENTS

Middlesex County Extension Service, Appropriation	\$200.00
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SUPPORT OF POOR

PAYMENTS

Dept. of Public Welfare, Support of Andrew Kilfoye	\$365.00
Joseph Dee, Burial of Walter Corbitt	58.00
Rollins Bros., Supplies for Cotoni Family	40.77
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	\$463.77

STREET LIGHTS

PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Dec., 1924	\$165.17
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Jan., 1925	161.39
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Feb.	151.52
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for March	154.38

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for April	142.21
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for May	136.68
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for June	133.58
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for July	136.72
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Aug.	136.91
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Sept.	142.38
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Oct.	158.45
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Nov.	160.96
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	\$1,780.35

RECAPITULATION

PAYMENTS

Schools	\$29,496.93
Highway Special	21,829.16
Highway State Aid	10,445.47
Highways	\$10,380.65
Water	13,453.17
Miscellaneous	6,859.04
Moths	4,239.79
Hydrants and Other Water Service	2,432.00
Street Lights	1,780.35
District Nurse	1,178.96
Lincoln Library	1,580.42
Fire Department	1,050.23
Cemetery	599.30
Support of Poor	463.77
Waltham Hospital	400.00
Interest	259.59
Middlesex County Ext. Service	200.00
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	\$106,648.83

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

1925		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$4,835.84
		Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1932	105.00
		Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1934	175.00
		Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1936	560.00
		Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s due 1928	127.50
		Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4½s due 1938	425.00
		Interest on Deposit	198.77
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			\$6,427.11

1925		<i>Cr.</i>	
		\$500 Town of Lincoln due September, 1926	\$ 501.09
		\$500 Town of Lincoln due September, 1927	501.09
Dec.	31	Balance	5,424.93
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			\$6,427.11

The Fund is invested as follows:

- \$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.
- \$3,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due September, 1932.
- \$3,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928.
- \$10,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938.
- \$5,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due November, 1934.
- \$500 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1926.
- \$500 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1927.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

FUND FOR PURCHASE OF SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS

1925

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$5,460.50
		Interest	209.99
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			\$5,670.49
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1925

Cr.

Jan.	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse bonds, January 1st	\$ 20.00
July	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse bonds, July 1st	60.00
Dec.	31	Balance	5,590.49
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			\$5,670.49
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1925		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	I	Balance principal a/c	\$ 524.78
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
		Dividends, American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	36.00
		Dividends, Boston Elev. Ry. Co. 1st pfd.....	56.00
		Sale, 8 shares Boston & Maine pfd. "B".....	470.28
		Interest	19.32
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			\$1,109.88

1925		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$ 114.82
		\$500 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1932.....	499.75
		Interest Western Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1932.....	10.83
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	484.48
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			\$1,109.88

The Fund is invested as follows:

7 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company first preferred.
 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
 4 shares American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ share Boston Elevated Railway Co. second preferred.
 \$500 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s of 1932.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1925	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$ 33.02
	Interest	1.85
	7 shares Boston & Maine pfd. "A".....	292.67
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		\$327.54
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1925	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$ 1.85
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	325.69
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		\$327.54
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The Fund is invested as follows:

2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1925	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$35.34
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	7.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Company 5s	50.00
	Interest	1.92
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		\$94.26

1925	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$58.92
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	35.34
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		\$94.26

The Fund is invested as follows:

1 share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY1925 *Dr.*

Jan. 1	Balance	\$18.33
	Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	50.00
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
	Interest78
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		\$72.61

1925 *Cr.*

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$54.28
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	18.33
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		\$72.61

The Fund is invested as follows:

$\frac{1}{2}$ share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000. American Ttl. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1925	<i>Dr.</i>		
Jan. 1	Balance	\$29.37	
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	21.00	
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	100.00	
	Interest	2.59	
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			\$152.96
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1925	<i>Cr.</i>		
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$123.59	
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	29.37	
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			\$152.96
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The Fund is invested as follows:

3 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$2,000. Unittd States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1925		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$1,247.99
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s, due 1947	100.00
		Interest	37.56
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			\$1,385.55
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1925		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Paid on Selectmen's orders	\$ 85.00
		Balance on Deposit, Income Account	1,139.39
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	161.16
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			\$1,385.55
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The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1925		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$379.48
		Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.	45.00
		Interest	11.99
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			\$436.47
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1925		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Balance on Deposit	\$436.47
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The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

1925

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$2,975.25
		Interest	74.97
		Coupon, Shawsheen Mills 7s, 1924	70.00
		Coupon, Shawsheen Mills, 1925	140.00
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			\$3,260.22

1925

Cr.

July	1	\$3,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4s	\$2,933.25
		Interest	5.33
		Balance principal a/c	8.75
		Balance income a/c	62.89
	4	Fireworks	250.00
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			\$3,260.22

The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 Shawsheen Mills 7s of 1931.

\$3,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4s of 1929.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account with

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1925

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$2,319.31
		Dividends, Pennsylvania R. R. Co.	150.00
		Dividends, Boston & Providence R. R. Co.	100.00
		Dividends, Old Colony Railroad Co.	70.00
		Dividends, Boston & Albany R. R. Co.	140.00
		Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	585.00
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 1st pfd.	40.00
		Dividends, Great Northern Ry. Co. pfd.	125.00
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s. .	50.00
		Coupons, Southern Railway Co. 4s	120.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	50.00
		Interest on Deposit	48.59
		10 Boston & Maine—A	443.10
		30 Boston & Maine—B	1,943.55
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			\$6,184.55

1925

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Jan.	29	P. A. Carter, Postals, Printing and Labor	\$ 8.90
		Russian Cathedral Sextette (Dec. 20, 1924)	200.00
Feb.	13	Dr. Harlow Shapley	160.00
	26	P. A. Carter, Printing	1.50
	28	S. Henry Co.	100.00
Mar.	28	Probate Court	1.20
July	4	Waltham Watch Co. Band	232.00
Oct.	30	P. A. Carter, Postals and Labor	3.50
		D. Thomas Curtin	75.00
Nov.	21	P. A. Carter, Postals, Labor and Printing	5.25
Dec.	2	P. A. Carter, Postals, Printing and Labor	5.25
		Crawford Adams and Robert Buren	83.72
	5	Lieut. Jack Harding	300.00
	14	\$1,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4s, 1929	991.36

18	Chamber Music Society of San Francisco	200.00
	P. A. Carter, Postals, Labor and Printing	5.25
31	Balance	3,811.62
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		<u>\$6,184.55</u>

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- 50 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
- 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
- 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
- 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
- 5 " Boston Elevated Railway Co. first preferred.
- 65 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
- 1 " New York Railways Participation Corp.
- 5 " New York Railways Corp. Common.
- 20 " New York Railways Corp. Stock Trust preferred.
- \$ 770 New York Railways Co. 6% Income Bond of 1965.
- \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
- \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
- \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.
- \$1,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4s, 1929.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

The Commissioners submit herewith the following report for the year 1925:

Under Art. 13 of the Warrant of 1925 it was voted that the Selectmen be authorized to acquire by purchase or otherwise the tract of land belonging to the Estate of Charles S. Wheeler and adjoining the present cemetery. The Commissioners have arranged with the Heirs of Charles S. Wheeler to acquire approximately two acres of land adjoining the present cemetery at an expense to the Town of \$500 and the Commissioners request an appropriation for \$500 for the purchase of this tract.

With this addition there will be sufficient land for cemetery purposes for a great many years to come.

The Commissioners have received, and the same has been paid to the Town Treasurer, funds for the care of lots as reported by the Treasurer. The Treasurer's report also shows the funds which are now deposited, the income to be used for the perpetual care of the lots indicated. The Commissioners wish to call the attention of the citizens especially to this matter so that other funds may be established, the income to be used for the perpetual care of lots. In this way funds so established will be used to keep the cemetery in better condition than it otherwise would probably be kept.

The Commissioners have received from Mrs. Helen O. Storrow, and the same has been permanently located on an advantageous site in the cemetery, a very beautiful statue, the work of Cyrus Dallin, and the Commissioners wish here to record their appreciation of this gift.

The Commissioners aim to take such care of the cemetery that improvements made will be permanent and it is, as in-

dicating such permanency, that trees and large shrubs have been placed in the past in convenient places and are now making the cemetery much more attractive than it otherwise would be. The Commissioners have thinned out and taken away unsightly trees in various parts of the cemetery to aid in making permanent and more beautiful the trees worth preserving.

The Commissioners recommend an appropriation, in addition to the \$500 for the purchase of land, of \$500 for general care.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH,
EDWARD F. FLINT,
FRITZ CUNNERT,

Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER

In Account with

THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1925	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance on hand	\$1,045.73
	Dividends, American Sugar pfd.	28.00
	Lot 116	30.00
	Lot 4A	30.00
	Dividends, Union Pacific pfd.	12.00
	Interest on balance	19.68
	Joa Pacewicz Lot	400.00
	Julia A. Bemis Lot	300.00
	Mary S. Rice Lot	87.27
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		\$1,952.68

1925	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 7	Middlesex Inst. of Savings (Joa Pacewicz)	\$ 400.00
	Middlesex Inst. of Savings (Mary S. Rice)	87.27
	Middlesex Inst. of Savings (Julia A. Bemis)	300.00
	Town of Lincoln	560.25
Dec. 31	Balance	605.16
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		\$1,952.68

The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer:

Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.

Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.

Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund, \$209.63.

Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$30.33.

Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$30.33.

Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$30.33.

John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$50.57.

Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$50.57.

George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$10.04.

Francis Flint Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$25.19.
William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$48.15.
Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$28.87.
Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$9.59.
E. H. Rogers Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$16.26.
Ellen T. Trask Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$13.
Thomas Huddleston Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$8.32.
Joa Pacewicz Fund, \$400.
Mary S. Rice Fund, \$87.27.
Julia A. Bemis Fund, \$300.

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Treasurer.*

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:

Number of residents assessed on property	366
“ “ non-residents assessed on property	81
“ “ assessed on polls only	145
“ “ acres of land assessed	8,740
“ “ dwelling houses assessed	308
“ “ horses assessed	171
“ “ cows assessed	388
“ “ neat cattle other than cows assessed	68
“ “ swine assessed	593
“ “ sheep assessed	14
“ “ fowl assessed	4,841
Value of land exclusive of buildings	\$712,765.00
“ “ buildings exclusive of land	1,306,710.00
“ “ real estate	\$2,019,475.00
“ “ personal estate	329,361.42
Total valuation	\$2,348,836.42
State tax	\$5,160.00
County tax	3,930.30
State Highway tax	412.00
Moth tax	415.00
Town Grants	66,850.00
Overlayings	115.96
Total	\$76,883.26
Deductions:	
Income tax	\$15,035.48
Money taken from treasury	15,000.00
Total deductions	\$30,035.48
Amount to be collected	46,847.78
Rate of taxation \$20.00 per \$1,000.00	
Number of Polls 393	

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,
THOMAS J. DEE,

Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, John	625	12.50			12.50
Adams, Mary O.	4,800	96.00	79,000	1,580.00	1676.00
A'Hearn, Timothy			2,500	50.00	50.00
Algeo, John O.	200	4.00			4.00
Bailey, Edward O.	800	16.00	4,300	86.00	102.00
Baker, Asahel	75	1.50	4,500	90.00	91.50
Baker, James E.	1,500	30.00			30.00
Balch, Francis N.	550	11.00			11.00
Bannon, Edward			2,000	40.00	40.00
Banton, Burton	500	10.00			10.00
Banton, Edmund F.	500	10.00			10.00
Barnes, Thomas					
Baskin, William J.	300	6.00	1,000	20.00	20.00
Barthel, Walter	450	9.00	3,000	60.00	66.00
Bateman, Helen	400	8.00			9.00
Bean, Abbie E.	500	10.00	13,000	260.00	268.00
Bean, Elmer A.	500	10.00	3,500	70.00	80.00
Bean, Anna R.	250	5.00			10.00
Bemis, Julia A., Estate of	100	2.00	6,000	120.00	125.00
Bent, Edwin S.	1,000	20.00	665	133.00	135.00
Bent, Edwin S., et al.			5,000	100.00	20.00
					100.00

Blodgett, Emma S.....					400.00
Blodgett, Stephen H.....	1,500	30.00	20,000	400.00	200.00
Bowles, William	1,050	21.00	3,500	70.00	91.00
Bowen, Lorenzo W.	300	6.00	15,000	300	306.00
Bowman, Robert A.....	200	4.00			4.00
Boyce Bros.....	5,000	100.00	8,500	170.00	270.00
Boyce, Alice M.....	200	4.00			4.00
Boyce, Manley B.....			2,600	52.00	52.00
Boyce, Michael J.....	50	1.00	4,500	90.00	91.00
Bradley, Sarah A. W.....			500	10.00	10.00
Bradstreet, Byron, Est. of.....			7,000	140.00	140.00
Brandon, John A.	1,000	20.00	5,000	100.00	120.00
Briggs, Jane F.....	675	13.50	6,000	120.00	133.50
Briggs, Richard, Jr.....	200	4.00			4.00
Briggs, Charles V.....	600	12.00			262.00
Brocks, Albert S.....	900	18.00	12,500	250.00	18.00
Brooks, Estella M.....					70.00
Brooks, Lorenzo E.....	450	9.00		3,500.00	
Brooks, Sarah W., et al.....	300	6.00	5,000	100.00	109.00
Brooks, Sarah W.....			4,500	90.00	96.00
Browning, Edgar C, Est. of.....	475	9.50	2,400	48.00	48.00
Browning, George U.....	1,350	27.00	2,500	50.00	59.00
Bunker, Abbie E.....			6,000	120.00	147.00
Bunker, Louis F.....	700	14.00	3,000	60.00	60.00
Burgess, John A.....	250	5.00			14.00
Burke, Thomas D.	350	7.00	7,000	140.00	145.00
Burnes, William C.	450	9.00	2,500	50.00	57.00
Butcher, Charles R.....	1,125	22.50	1,000	20.00	9.00
					42.50

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Butcher, Henry A.....	450	9.00	2,000	40.00	49.00
Butcher, Ralph E.....	350	7.00	3,300	66.00	73.00
Calkins, James T.....	150	3.00	2,600	52.00	55.00
Calkins, T. Alonzo	1,650	33.00	3,000	60.00	93.00
Campbell, Fanny S., et al.....			9,100	182.00	440.00
Carlson, Benjamin E.....	2,000	40.00	26,000	400.00	182.00
Catore, Angelo			3,000	60.00	60.00
Chapin, Arthur S.....	250	5.00			5.00
Chapin, Carrie B.....			1,500	30.00	30.00
Chapin, Clara F.....			6,400	128.00	128.00
Chapin, Cyrus S.....	1,500	30.00			30.00
Chapin, Elizabeth G. et al.....			2,000	40.00	40.00
Christiansen, Peter	100	2.00	1,000	20.00	22.00
Ceraso, Michael.....	100	2.00			2.00
Clark, Thomas	200	4.00			4.00
Clark, John T.....	350	7.00	7,000	140.00	147.00
Chevers, Ida.....	200	4.00			4.00
Coan, Bridgett	600	12.00	3,500	70.00	82.00
Coan, John H.....	1,850	37.00	4,000	80.00	117.00
Coan, Thomas F.....	75	1.50	3,000	60.00	61.50
Coburn, Edward S.....	2,150	43.00	5,000	100.00	143.00
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.....	3,313.75	66.28			66.28
Codman, Hugh	4,509.79	90.20			90.20

Codman, Thomas N., et al, Trustees.....	190	3.80	75.000	1,500.00	1,503.80
Codman, Thomas N.....	1,947.29	38.95			38.95
Codman, Thomas N., Agent for Ogden Codman.....	1,959.59	39.20			39.20
Connors, Michael	225	4.50	1,000	20.00	24.50
Conway, William J.....	550	11.00	2,000	40.00	51.00
Cook, George	300	6.00			6.00
Corrigan, Francis J.	400	8.00			8.00
Corrigan, Patrick F.....			2,000	40.00	40.00
Corrigan, John F.....	200	4.00			4.00
Corrigan, Mary			2,000	40.00	40.00
Costello, William			1,000	20.00	2.00
Cotoni, Nicholas.....	100	2.00			30.00
Cousins, Ashley B.	500	10.00			2.00
Cousins, Harold S.....	100	2.00			177.00
Crook, Russel G.....	750	15.00	8,100	162.00	60.00
Crowley, Mary A.....			3,000	60.00	20.00
Cruikshank, Andrew	100	2.00	1,000	20.00	2.00
Cunnert, Emma.....	235	4.70			4.70
Cunnert, Emma and Jennie.....	250	5.00	3,500	70.00	75.00
Cunnert, Fritz	300	6.00			6.00
Cunningham, Francis H.....			4,000	80.00	80.00
Cunningham, George E.....	350	7.00	5,000	100.00	107.00
Cucinotta Co.....	1,700	34.00	10,000	200.00	234.00
Danner, John			5,000	100.00	100.00
Davis, Alfred G.....	3,650	73.00	7,500	150.00	223.00
Davis, E. Russel	1,200	24.00			24.00
Davis, Prescott L.....	1,650	33.00	9,000	180.00	213.00

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Davison, Everett H.	200	4.00	2,000	40.00	44.00
Dean, Clarence H.	500	10.00			10.00
Dean, Harold S.	150	3.00			3.00
DeCordova, Julian	12,300	246.00	46,000	920.00	1,166.00
DeCordova, Julian, Ex. of Estate of Mary E. D. DeCordova....	11,459	229.18			229.18
Dee, Thomas J.	800	16.00	5,000	100.00	116.00
Delory, John	350	7.00			7.00
Delory, Theresa			1,500	30.00	30.00
Delorey, William	200	4.00	500	10.00	14.00
Dempsey, Edward	300	6.00	1,500	30.00	36.00
De Normandie, Charles L.	1,400	28.00	6,000	120.00	148.00
De Normandie, William J.	400	8.00			8.00
De Palma, Nicholas			500	10.00	10.00
Diamond, James	225	4.50	800	16.00	20.50
Denio, F. Winchester	1,300	26.00	2,000	40.00	66.00
Dodge, Kate F. P., Est. of.			3,500	70.00	70.00
Donaldson, James F.	500	10.00			10.00
Donaldson, Robert D.	6,900	138.00	43,600	872.00	1010.00
Doherty, Anthony J.	1,500	30.00	4,500	90.00	120.00
Doherty & Corrigan	6,500	130.00	5,500	110.00	240.00
Doherty, Mary			1,500	30.00	30.00
Doherty, Matthew H.			3,000	60.00	60.00

Dougherty, Andrew J.....	2,000	40.00	2,500	50.00	90.00
Dougherty, Mary M.	200	4.00			4.00
Domenichello, Domenick	550	11.00	2,000	40.00	51.00
Eaton, Winslow A.....			1,500	30.00	30.00
Edgerly, Jonathan F.....	1,700	34.00	20,500	410.00	444.00
Ehlert, Ellen			2,000	40.00	40.00
Ellms, Charles W.....			5,000	100.00	100.00
Ellms, Marjorie	300	6.00			6.00
Farrar, Edward R.	600	12.00	10,000	200.00	212.00
Farrar, Herbert G.....			4,250	85.00	85.00
Farrar, John F.....			3,000	60.00	60.00
Farrar, John F. & Herbert G.....	750	15.00			15.00
First, Parish			3,500	70.00	70.00
Fleming, Mary	100	2.00	600	12.00	14.00
Farquhar, David.....			5,500	110.00	110.00
Flint Bros.			17,300	346.00	346.00
Flint, Edward F.....	2,375	47.50	4,500	90.00	137.50
Flint, Ephraim B.....	2,500	50.00	3,500	70.00	120.00
Florio, Tito.....	200	4.00			4.00
Flynn, Frank J.....	500	10.00	2,500	50.00	60.00
Foreman, Charles F.			2,000	40.00	40.00
Foster, Helen P.....			350	7.00	7.00
French, Lindol	100	2.00			2.00
Gately, Annie E.....	500	10.00	17,000	340.00	350.00
Gayer, Clara W.....	600	12.00	2,000	40.00	52.00
Giles, Thomas L.....	400	8.00	2,600	52.00	60.00
Giles, Edmund W.....	1,500	30.00			30.00
Giles, Thomas T.			1,000	20.00	20.00

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Glover, Charles A.....	1,650	33.00	2,500	50.00	83.00
Gordon, Louise A.....	21,600	432.00	135,000	2,700.00	10.00
Graf, Edward			500	10.00	3,132.00
Gregory, LeRoy H.....	200	4.00	4,000	80.00	84.00
Graves, George A.....	627	12.54	5,000	100.00	112.54
Graves, George A., Trustee			40	.80	.80
Gustin, Francis E.	900	18.00			18.00
Gustin, Francis E. Jr.....	100	2.00			2.00
Garadski, Archy.....	500	10.00			10.00
Gould, James K.....	150	3.00			3.00
Hagerty, Raymond E.	100	2.00			2.00
Hamilton, Celeste C.....			3,000	60.00	60.00
Hamilton, D. Lincoln.....	150	3.00			3.00
Hallett, Walter G.	300	6.00			6.00
Harding, William A.....	200	4.00	2,000	40.00	44.00
Hart, Joseph S.....			20,500	410.00	410.00
Hatheway, Conrad P.....	1,000	20.00	6,500	130.00	150.00
Hartwell, J. Redman	300	6.00			6.00
Harvey, Gerald R.	100	2.00			2.00
Heald, Jay M.	500	10.00	5,000	100.00	110.00
Henderson, George W.....			2,000	40.00	40.00
Herman, Edwards W.....	2,800	56.00	16,000	320.00	376.00
Hersey, Wilmer R.....	100	2.00			2.00

Hews, Annie M.	500	10.00			10.00
Higginson, A. Henry	2,000	40.00			40.00
Higginson, Henry L.	2,850	57.00			57.00
Higginson, Jeanne A., Est. of	3,350	67.00			67.00
Hill, Irving S.	500	10.00			10.00
Hill, Dorothy B.			6,000	120.00	120.00
Hilliard, Florence M.	200	4.00	10,000	200.00	204.00
Hilliard, William M.	100	2.00			2.00
Hobbs, E. Stanley Jr.	500	10.00	2,500	50.00	60.00
Hodges, George C.			7,500	150.00	150.00
Horton, Watson H.	100	2.00			2.00
Hoyt, Jesse I.	150	3.00			3.00
Hoyt, Georgina.	700	14.00			14.00
Holman, Daniel			200	4.00	4.00
Hunt, Merrill	1,150	23.00	9,000	180.00	203.00
Hunter, Euphema J.	1,800	36.00	6,800	136.00	172.00
Hutton, James	200	4.00	1,000	20.00	20.00
Jensen, Holger J.	1,000	20.00	3,500	70.00	4.00
Jensen, Niel	400	8.00			90.00
Jensen, Otto A. B.	100	2.00	100	2.00	8.00
Johansen, John			300	6.00	4.00
Johnson, John	200	4.00			6.00
Johnson, George M.	100	2.00	5,500	110.00	4.00
Johnson, Walter W.	650	13.00	3,400	68.00	112.00
Jose, Eugene			3,000	60.00	81.00
Kelliher, John J.			3,100	62.00	60.00
Kennedy, Honor			11,000	220.00	62.00
Kidder Bros.	2,000	40.00			<u>260.00</u>

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King, Elizabeth L.....					50.00
Kinney, Robert C.....	200	4.00	2,500	50.00	4.00
Kirkpatrick, John W.....	300	6.00			6.00
Lahey, James.....			1,000	20.00	20.00
Lahey, James E.....	200	4.00			4.00
Laird, Mrs. James T.....			2,750	55.00	55.00
Lamont, Henry.....	150	3.00			3.00
Langille, Isaac	400	8.00			8.00
LeMoine, Arthur.....	550	11.00			11.00
Lennon, James W.....					50.00
Lennon, John B.....			2,500	50.00	50.00
Lennon, Patrick J.....			1,500	30.00	30.00
Lewis, James P.....	2,000	40.00			40.00
Little, Amos R.....	2,100	42.00	30,000	600.00	642.00
Loring, Robert G.....	1,450	29.00	5,200	104.00	133.00
Lunt, Byron.....	150	3.00			3.00
Lunt, Charles			1,500	30.00	30.00
Lynch, James P.	100	2.00			2.00
Luce, Charles M.....	150	3.00			3.00
Lincoln Stone Quarry Co.....	600	12.00	8,000	160.00	172.00
MacAskill, Dan	115	2.30	2,700	54.00	56.30

MacRae, Isaac N., Est. of.....					72.00	72.00
MacRae, Rothwell N.....	500	10.00	3,600		72.00	10.00
Mannarino, Joseph.....	500	10.00	4,000		80.00	90.00
Mann, David W.....	250	5.00	3,500		70.00	75.00
Marcy, Florence E. G.....	1,050	21.00	16,000		320.00	341.00
Martin, Ellen.....	200	4.00	2,500		50.00	50.00
Martin, Nathan E.....	300	6.00	6,000		120.00	124.00
Martin, Orel F.....	500	10.00				6.00
Marren, John J.....	600	12.00	5,000		100.00	10.00
McHugh, John E.....	1,200	24.00				112.00
McHugh, Mary.....	100	2.00				24.00
McFarland, Ernest H.....	100	2.00	2,500		50.00	2.00
McLean, Hector J.....	50	1.00				52.00
McLeod, Earl.....	450	9.00				1.00
McLeod, Edward.....	425	8.50	4,500		90.00	9.00
Morrissey, Annie..... ^{1/4} ..	1,200	24.00				98.50
Montgomery, Hastwell T.....	200	4.00				24.00
Mort, John H.....	250	5.00				4.00
Mort, William D.....	100	2.00	3,000		60.00	5.00
Moynihan, Timothy, Est. of.....	300	6.00				60.00
Murphy, George.....	2,100	42.00	8,000		160.00	2.00
Moynihan, Maud.....	200	4.00				6.00
Nelson Bros.....	200	4.00				202.00
Nelson, Carl E.....	200	4.00				4.00
Nelson, Charles M.....	200	4.00				4.00
Nelson, Richard.....	1,100	22.00				4.00
Neville Bros.....			4,000		80.00	102.00
Norton, John H. & Bridget M.....			6,000		120.00	120.00

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Norton, Thomas F.....	250	5.00			5.00
O'Brien, Frank M.....			400	8.00	8.00
O'Brien, James	500	10.00	1,500	30.00	40.00
O'Leary, Delia	200	4.00	5,000	100.00	104.00
O'Leary, John J.....	200	4.00			4.00
Osgood, Emily L.....	800	16.00	37,000	740.00	756.00
Page, G. William.....	200	4.00			4.00
Page, Henry R.....	600	12.00			12.00
Page, Henry R., et al.....			10,000	200.00	200.00
Palmer, Meredith W.....	1,000	20.00			20.00
Pearson, Bert W.	1,250	25.00	4,500	90.00	115.00
Peck, Chester G.....	2,000	40.00	20,000	400.00	440.00
Peirce, William C., Est.....	1,100	22.00	11,500	230.00	252.00
Peirce, Mrs. Harriet T.....			3,500	70.00	70.00
Peirce, Alice & Jennie.....			4,000	80.00	80.00
Peterson, Andrew.....	100	2.00			2.00
Pierce, Harry W.....	250	5.00			5.00
Pierce, Elsie			25,500	510.00	510.00
Pike, Richard.....	200	4.00			4.00
Poland, Verne L.	500	10.00			10.00
Pollard, Anne D.....	9,075	181.50	36,500	730.00	911.50
Pollard, Frederick H.....	25	.50	7,000	140.00	140.50
Penketh, William H.....	500	10.00			10.00
Porter, Frederick A. & Walter J.....	4,100	82.00	10,600	212.00	294.00

Poor, Jane & Marian Fitch.....	200	4.00	2,500	50.00	54.00
P'emble, Charles O.	700	14.00			14.00
Place, Georgie L.....	200	4.00	2,100	42.00	46.00
Quinby, Sarah P.			3,000	60.00	60.00
Rasmussen, Robert	150	3.00	400	8.00	11.00
Raynor, Joseph W.....	100	2.00			2.00
Rice, Edwin B.....	500	10.00	2,500	50.00	60.00
Rice, Warren A.....	600	12.00	500	10.00	22.00
Riley, Ellen.....			6,000	120.00	120.00
Roche, Bridget			6,000	120.00	120.00
Roberts, William G.....	650	13.00			13.00
Robinson, Charles M.	300	6.00			6.00
Robus, Tamzin K.....			2,000	40.00	40.00
Robus, William A.....	200	4.00			4.00
Rogers, John H.....	500	10.00	5,000	100.00	110.00
Rooney, John W., Jr.....	100	2.00	1,500	30.00	32.00
Rooney, George.....	200	4.00			4.00
Rollins, Bros.....	2,150	43.00			43.00
Rollins, Charles L.	200	4.00			4.00
Rollins, Elmer A.	200	4.00			4.00
Ryan, Daniel	200	4.00			4.00
Ryan, Edward H.....	800	16.00			16.00
Ryan, Frank V.....	400	8.00			8.00
Ryan, James T.	100	2.00			2.00
Ryan, Mary J.....			2,500	50.00	50.00
Ryan, Mary A.	500	10.00			10.00
Ryan, Mary			2,000	40.00	40.00
Ryan, Statia			2,000	40.00	40.00

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Sargent, Charles O.....	800	16.00	7,000	140.00	156.00
Sargent, Francis B.....	250	5.00			5.00
Scripture, Bertha	100	2.00			2.00
Scripture, Mary J.....	100	2.00			2.00
Seeckts, Albert			2,500	50.00	50.00
Seeckts, Marian E.....	250	5.00			5.00
Seekins, Lester W.....	100	2.00			2.00
Seekins, Theodore B.	200	4.00	1,200	24.00	28.00
Shepard, Richard A.....			3,000	60.00	60.00
Sherman, Daniel E.	1,650	33.00	11,500	230.00	263.00
Sherman, Carrie			2,100	42.00	42.00
Sherman, Roger	1,500	30.00	7,700	154.00	184.00
Sherman, Eugene A., Est. of			4,100	82.00	82.00
Sherman, Warren A.	550	11.00			11.00
Sherman, William H.....	1,100	22.00	4,000	80.00	102.00
Silva, Manuel	4,000	80.00	6,500	130.00	210.00
Simms, John W., Est. of			1,150	23.00	23.00
Simms, Royal.....	100	2.00			2.00
Smith, Charles S.....	4,600	92.00	58,000	1,160.00	1,252.00
Smith, Lillian P.....	300	6.00	3,000	60.00	66.00
Smith, Sumner			4,000	80.00	80.00
Snelling, Caroline.....	200	4.00	3,000	60.00	64.00
Snelling, Marian L.....			500	10.00	10.00

Snelling, Philip R.....	150	3.00			1,200	24.00	3.00
Sousa, Joseph M.	500	10.00					34.00
Starrett, Leo	600	12.00					12.00
Stone, Edith L.....					300	6.00	6.00
Storey, Moorfield	2,000	40.00			24,000	480.00	520.00
Seegar, Frederick M.....	450	9.00					9.00
Saunders, Robert W.....	500	10.00					10.00
Taillacq, Isabel	200	4.00					4.00
Tarbell, George G.....	2,600	52.00			300	6.00	58.00
Tarbell, George G., Trustee					3,000	60.00	60.00
Tarbell, George G., Trustees					20,000	400.00	400.00
Tasker, Jennie K.	200	4.00			3,000	60.00	64.00
Todd, C. Lee.....	1,000	20.00			25,000	500.00	520.00
Townsend, Ethelyn	125	2.50					2.50
Tyler, Fred	200	4.00			2,200	44.00	48.00
Tyler, Fred & James, Adms. of Est. of Watson Tyler.....					2,200	44.00	44.00
Woodyard, Arthur.....	500	10.00			3,200	64.00	74.00
Wagner, Harrison G.....	100	2.00					2.00
Warner, Henrietta	512	10.24					10.24
Warner, Henry E.....	3,000	60.00					300.00
Washburn, Mary J.....					12,000	240.00	40.00
Watson, Samuel J.....					2,000	40.00	30.00
Watson, William F.....					1,500	30.00	40.00
Welch, Helen F., Est of					2,000	40.00	10.00
Welch, Martin M.....					500	10.00	50.00
Weston, Georgianna H.....					2,500	50.00	100.00
Wetherbee, Charles E.	200	4.00			5,000	100.00	4.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Wheeler, Andrew J.	100	2.00			2.00
Wheeler, Earl R.	500	10.00			80.00
Wheeler, Charles S., Estff of.....			3,500	70.00	230.00
Wheeler, Charlotte	1,500	30.00	11,500	230.00	30.00
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.....					90.00
Wheeler, Elizabeth F.....	500	10.00	4,500	90.00	10.00
Wheeler, C. Edgar	350	7.00			67.00
Wheeler, George R.....	350	7.00	3,000	60.00	107.00
Wheeler, Herman T.....	300	6.00	5,000	100.00	86.00
Whitney, Harold P.	150	3.00	4,000	80.00	3.00
Wilkins, Annie M.	300	6.00			6.00
Wilkins, John Howard					110.00
Wilson, John	1,000	20.00	5,500	110.00	90.00
Woodhull, Charles E.....	640	12.80	3,500	70.00	142.80
Wallace, Frances.....	500	10.00	6,500	130.00	10.00

NON-RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Ames, Mrs. J. B., Cambridge	500	10.00			10.00
Albano, Bros., Concord.....	150	3.00			3.00
Baker, Walter F., Weston	120	2.40			2.40
Blodkett, Edwin S., Florida.....	2,000	40.00			40.00

Brooks, Mary A., Concord.....				650	13.00	13.00
Broughall, Margaret, Lexington.....				20	.40	.40
Brown, Harry Wayland.....				100	2.00	2.00
Brown, William, Winchendon.....				1,040	20.80	20.80
Burgess, Harry A., Lexington.....				240	4.80	4.80
Bills, Sarah., Sudbury.....				800	16.00	16.00
Beechnut Packing Co., Canajoharie, N. Y.	100	2.00			2.00	2.00
Cheaney, George, Weston.....				150	3.00	3.00
Carroll, Henrietta S., Malden.....				50	1.00	1.00
Clary, Dorothy M., Medford.....				2,000	40.00	40.00
Coppinger, Joseph., So. Boston.....				11,000	220.00	220.00
Cousins, Fred E., Littleton.....				5,500	110.00	110.00
Curley, Annie, Boston.....				500	10.00	10.00
Curry, S. E., Somerville.....				200	4.00	4.00
Dean, Louis W., Waltham.....	2,500	50		3,500	70.00	120.00
DeNormandie, Alice W., Boston.....	1,250	25.00		17,500	350.00	375.00
DeNormandie, James., Est. of., Boston				6,500	130.00	130.00
Donovan, Michael, Concord.....				300	6.00	6.00
Doyle, Daniel, Weston.....				700	14.00	14.00
Dunbar, William H., and } Boston.....				400	8.00	8.00
Hoar, D. Blakely.....				200	4.00	4.00
Eaton, Frederick A., Concord.....						700.00
Edison Electric Illuminating Co., Boston	35,000	700.00				13.00
Emerson, Edward W., Concord.....				650	50.00	50.00
Everett, Raymond C., Waltham.....				2,500	122.00	122.00
Fallon, Matthew W., Jr., Boston.....				6,100	20.00	20.00
Fernald, Elmer., Waltham.....				1,000		

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Fitchburg R. R. Co.....			900	18.00	18.00
Gourgas, Francis R., Heirs of, Concord			50	1.00	1.00
Graves, Albert S., Brookline			16,000	320.00	320.00
Green, Grace, Topeka, Kansas.....			100	2.00	2.00
Grimwood, Henry A., Weston.....			100	2.00	142.00
Harrington, T. F., Waltham.....			6,600	132.00	132.00
Hav, Robert T., Melrose.....			5,500	110.00	110.00
Hayden, Nellie B., Lexington.....			200	4.00	4.00
Higginson, Henry L., Est., Boston.....			70,000	1,400	1,400.00
Hogan, Edward J., Cambridge.....	100	2.00			2.00
Holmes, Sarah E., Arlington.....			200	4.00	4.00
Hunt, Lewis E., Somerville.....			1,000	20.00	20.00
Kaizer, Horace, Concord.....			2,500	50.00	50.00
Keyes, Prescott S., Concord.....			11,000	220.00	220.00
Locke, Isaac, Heirs of, Boston.....			200	4.00	4.00
Loring, Augustus, P., Jr., Boston			4,500	90.00	90.00
Lovett, Robert W., Est. of., Boston.....			6,000	120.00	120.00
Lima, Anthony J., Lexington.....			500	10.00	10.00
Malloy, Mrs. John, Waltham			600	12.00	12.00
Marr, John W., Waltham.....			4,800	96.00	96.00
McGrath Bros., Concord.....			1,050	21.00	21.00
McNeeley, Robert., Boston.....					6.00
Munroe Felt & Paper Co., Boston	300	6.00	1,000	20.00	20.00

Neville, Henry P., Bedford.....				850	17.00	17.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	12,130	242.60		3,600	72.00	314.60
Norton, Mrs. T. M., Ayer				15	.30	.30
Paine, Horace G., Concord				150	3.00	3.00
Peterson, Peter P., Roxbury.....				1,500	30.00	30.00
Pope, Amelia V., Joplin, Mo.....				10,000	200.00	200.00
Randall, Alton				500	10.00	10.00
Richardson, T. C., Est. of.....				150	3.00	3.00
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge.....	1,500	30.00		12,000	240.00	270.00
Root, Frank K., Chicago				600	12.00	12.00
Shaw, Nellie K., Woburn.....				100	2.00	2.00
Sorensen, Hans, Lexington.....				2,000	40.00	40.00
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston.....				100	2.00	2.00
Smith, Eugene H., Waltham.....				100	2.00	2.00
Smith, Howard, Portsmouth, N. H.....				200	4.00	4.00
Stewart, Frank, Waltham.....				100	2.00	2.00
Storow, Helen O., Boston.....				4,000	80.00	80.00
Storrow, James J., Boston.....	2,100	42.00		146,000	2,920.00	2,962.00
Stow, Elizabeth, Concord				200	4.00	4.00
Thorndike, Sturgis H., Weston.....				2,000	40 0	40.00
Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee, Wis.....				250	5.00	5.00
Western Union Tel Co.....	2,698	53.96		2,500	50.00	53.96
Wheeler, Frank, Est., Concord.....				100	2.00	2.00
Wheeler, Henry A., Weston.....	1,000	20.00		15,000	300.00	320.00
Wheelwright, Mary C., Boston				1,000	20.00	20.00
White, Robert Lexington.....				6,000	120.00	120.00
Wilcox, Charlotte W., New Bedford...				1,000	20.00	20.00
Worcester, Alice, Waltham.....						

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Receipts and Expenditures for the Year 1925 have been as follows:

EXPENDITURES

Selectmen's Orders	\$ 93,195.66
Middlesex County Tax	3,930.30
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Tax	5,160.00
Balance December 31, 1925	15,138.61
Balance Special Fund from Massachusetts	628.03

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1, 1925	\$ 18,298.13
Balance Special Fund from Massachusetts	628.03
T. L. Giles, Collector of Taxes	44,299.08
Highway Department, State Aid	634.00
Local	973.68
Highway Special	2,253.75
Middlesex County	7,500.00
Massachusetts	10,400.00
School Department, Lincoln Grammar Fund	57.52
" " " "	345.74
" " " "	949.16
" " " "	1,543.81
" " " "	938.11
Dog Tax	280.42
Cemetery Fund	560.25
Town Hall	114.00
Mass. Inspection of Animals	25.19
Miscellaneous	11.65
Moth Department	1,171.75
District Nurse, Sudbury	535.00
" " Local	134.30
" " Lincoln School	400.00
Concord Court	321.90
Interest	306.84
Massachusetts National Bank Tax	2,609.47
" " Corporation Tax, 1924	41.72
" " " " 1925	1,196.45
" " Income Tax 1922	18.00
" " " " 1923	90.00
" " " " 1924	234.00
" " " " 1925	15,146.52
Water Works Department, loan of 1912	4,787.51
" " Int. on loan of 1912	1,244.62

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GEORGE G. TARBELL,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

All taxes committed to the Collector prior to September 1, 1925, have been collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Of the 1925 levy \$39, 368.05 has been collected of the total of \$46,874.78 to be collected.

THOMAS L. GILES

Collector.

Outstanding Bonds January 1, 1926

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Issue of 1900 due 1930 $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D.....	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts)	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupons $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S.....	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts)	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & N.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 Serial Coupon 4s, M. & S. (\$500 due each year)	1,000.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Reg'd 4s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	4,000.00
	\$61,000.00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners respectfully submit the following report:

The Water Works are in good physical and financial condition. An extension of about 300 feet on Baker's Bridge Road at Fred Tyler's included all the new pipe laid last year. There have been few leaks to repair, but more services than usual were installed, which will add to future income. An old debt to the Town of nearly \$6,000, with interest, was paid from earnings, which accounts for the higher cost of pumping.

SUMNER SMITH,
JOHN J. KELLIHER,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,

Summary of Statistics for Year Ending December 31, 1924

PUMPING STATISTICS

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 10½" x 12", 25 H.P. motor.

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 12" x 14", 40 H.P. motor.

Power furnished by Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston.

Total water pumped for year, 79,815,000 gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station's expenses (including salaries and power), \$28.94 per million gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station expenses, power, salaries, interest, repairs and renewals and depreciation, \$175 per million gallons pumped.

Statistics Relating to Distribution System

Mains

1. Kind of pipe used, cement lined, cast iron, wood stave, galvanized iron.
2. Sizes, 1½" to 12".
3. Extended during the year, 300 ft.
4. Discontinued during the year, none.
5. Total now in use, 27,221 miles.
6. Number of hydrants added during the year, 0.
7. Number of hydrants replaced, 2.
8. Number of Hydrants (public and private) now in use, 130.
9. Number of stop-gates renewed, 0. Number of stop-gates added during the year, 1.
10. Number of stop-gates now in use, 138.
11. Number of blow-offs, 30.
12. Range of pressure on mains, 40 pounds to 100 pounds.

Services

13. Kind of pipe, galvanized iron and cement lined.
14. Sizes, ¾" to 4".
15. Renewed, 4. Discontinued, 0.
16. Number of service taps added during the year, 14.
17. Number now in use, 375.
18. Average length of service, 12' +.
19. Meters now in use, 14.

Water Report **PROFIT AND LOSS** Year ending December 31, 1925.

<i>Cr.</i>		LIABILITIES	
Rates	\$12,287.50	Bonds outstanding	\$61,000.00
Meter	1,314.03	Surplus	185,182.50
Sundry	295.84		
	<u>\$13,897.37</u>		<u>\$246,182.50</u>
<i>Dr.</i>		ASSETS	
Expense	\$447.27	Construction	\$189,740.00
Power	1,743.14	Sinking Fund	41,425.00
Salaries	625.00	Water bills uncollected	1,012.53
Interest	3,559.62	Cash on hand	14,004.97
Repairs and renewals	1,619.95		
Town of Lincoln Loan	4,787.51		
Net Gain	1,114.88		
	<u>\$13,897.37</u>		<u>\$246,182.50</u>

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Treasurer.*

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

I herewith submit a brief report of the work done on the trees and against the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths for the year ending December 31, 1925. The methods used in handling the Gypsy Moth while not so extensive were practically the same as in past years with the exception that the spraying of trees along our roadsides was omitted again this year. Although there is an increase of the infestation of the Moth in some parts of the Town the situation is not as yet serious.

In our inspection of the orchards for the Brown Tail Moth webs this year we did not find only about fifty webs, which goes to show that this pest is on the decline. The work of cutting brush and cleaning our roadside trees was continued this year. We find this work very necessary, and while we may not have to spend a large amount of money on Moth Work we can spend the money to good advantage cleaning our roadsides. The total expenditure of this department is \$4,239.79, of which there has been charged to property owners \$1,051.85 on account of private work, and \$700.00 to Water Department for labor of men and Superintendent, leaving a net cost to the Town \$2,487.94. I recommend that \$2,500.00 be appropriated for Moth and Tree Work.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN J. KELLIHER.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Jan. 11, 1926.

To the Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1925.

Number of herds of cows	75
“ “ milch cows	459
“ “ young stock	96
“ “ bulls	27
“ “ pigs	757
“ “ sheep	17
“ “ cows quarantined	0
“ “ affected with tuberculosis	0

Respectfully submitted,

MARTIN M. WELCH,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees submit on the following pages the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer for the year ending December 31, 1925.

The Trustees wish to call attention to the balance shown at the end of the year. This relatively large amount is due to the fact that the bill for rebuilding the chimney has not yet been presented. The cost of the chimney will take practically all of the balance so that in reality there are no funds to carry over for general expenses.

The Trustees ask for an appropriation of one thousand dollars for the year ensuing.

GEORGE G. TARBELL,
Chairman of the Trustees.

Report of Treasurer of Lincoln Library for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1925

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance on hand January 1, 1925	\$53.31	Water Rate	\$10.00
Cash received from fines	36.45	Telephone	26.46
Income from Liberty Bonds	8.50	Light	40.72
Income from Codman Fund	43.75	Clerical Work	10.00
Income from Trust Funds:—		Supplies	15.70
George G. Tarbell Fund	\$114.82	Repairs	125.72
George Russell Fund	1.85	Fuel	126.00
Julia A. Bemis Fund	58.92	Magazines	78.45
John H. Pierce Fund	54.28	Books	318.11
Abbie J. Stearns Fund	123.59	Income of Pierce Fund, paid to Librarians	54.28
Dog Tax Return	353.46	Salaries of Librarians	750.00
Town Appropriation	280.42	Total expenditures	\$1,555.44
	1,300.00	Balance on hand, January 1, 1926	520.45
			<u>\$2,075.89</u>

The Codman Fund is invested in five shares of Boston & Albany stock. The Trustees hold Liberty 4½'s to the amount of \$200. These securities are in the custody of the Commissioner of Trust Funds.

JOHN F. FARRAR,

Treas. Lincoln Library.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

Annual Report for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1925

Library open Wednesday and Saturday from 3 to 9 P. M.,
except legal holidays.

Number of volumes at beginning of year	11,521
Number of volumes added by purchase	158
Number of volumes added by gift	8
Number of volumes withdrawn during year	25
Number of volumes at the end of the year	11,662
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use	3,298
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use	1,451
Number of volumes of children's books lent for home use	2,538
Total number of volumes lent for home use	7,287
Largest number of volumes lent in one day	148
Smallest number of volumes lent in one day	32
Number of days Library was open	102

Accessions to the Library for 1925

FICTION

Barrington, E., <i>pseud.</i> The divine lady. A romance of Nelson and Emma Hamilton.....	773.18
Bassett, Sarah Ware. The taming of Zenas Henry.....	772.22
Beeding, Francis. The seven sleepers.....	772.15
Beith, John Hay (Ian Hay). Paid in full.....	778.13
Benson, E. F. David Blaize of Kings.....	773.26
Bottome, Phyllis. Old wine.....	778.15
Boyd, James. Drums.....	778.22
Brown, Alice. The mysteries of Ann.....	778.18
Buchan, John. John Burnet of Barns.....	772.14
Buchan, John. John Macnab.....	922.28
Byrne, Donne. Blind Raftery.....	772.5
Cather, Willa. The professor's house.....	728.44
Chamberlain, George Agnew. Lantern on the plow.....	772.4
Colver, Alice Ross. If dreams come true.....	778.7
Curwood, James Oliver. The ancient highway.....	778.25
Davis, William Stearns. The beauty of the purple.....	773.25
Deland, Margaret. New friends in old Chester.....	772.17
"Elizabeth," author of Enchanted April, Elizabeth and her German garden. Love.....	772.21
Eyton, John. Expectancy.....	772.8
Ferber, Edna. Cheerful—by request.....	778.10
Fletcher, J. S. The annexation society.....	778.2
Fletcher, J. S. False scent.....	718.30
Fletcher, J. S. The mill of many windows.....	778.14
Fletcher, J. S. The wolves and the lamb.....	772.7
Forster, E. M. A passage to India.....	773.23
Gibbs, Arthur Hamilton. Soundings.....	772.12
Gibbs, Philip. Little novels of nowadays.....	773.24
Gibbs, Philip. The reckless lady.....	918.36
Grant, Robert. The Bishop's granddaughter.....	918.34
Grey, Zane. The thundering herd.....	772.6
Harrison, Henry Sydnor. Andrew Bride of Paris.....	728.43
Hémon, Louis. Blind man's buff.....	766.26
Hutchinson, A. S. M. One increasing purpose.....	728.42
Irwin, Will. Youth rides west: a story of the seventies..	772.2
Jeffery, Jeffery. An octave.....	741.26

Jordon, Elizabeth. Red Riding Hood: a novel.....	715.32
Kaye-Smith, Sheila. The George and the Crown.....	778.21
Kennedy, Margaret. The constant nymph.....	767.27
Lagerlöf, Selma. The treasure.....	778.16
Lane, Rose Wilder. He was a man.....	772.18
Lewis, Sinclair. Arrowsmith.....	778.11
Lincoln, Joseph C. Queer Judson.....	724.27
Lutz, Grace Livingston Hill. Exit Betty.....	772.26
Lutz, Grace Livingston Hill. Miranda.....	772.19
Lutz, Grace Livingston Hill. The tryst.....	772.23
Macaulay, Rose. Orphan Island.....	918.35
Mackenzie, Compton. Old men of the sea.....	764.27
Marshall, Archibald. The mystery of Redmarsh.....	778.5
Masson, Thomas L., compiler and editor. Best stories in the world.....	778.20
Millin, Sarah Gertrude. God's stepchildren.....	778.1
Miln, Louise Jordan. Ruben and Ivy Sên.....	717.33
Miln, Louise Jordan. The soul of China.....	772.25
Montgomery, L. M. Emily climbs.....	1026.30
Mundy, Talbot. Om: the secret of Ahbor valley.....	772.16
Norris, Kathleen. Little ships.....	778.26
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. The inevitable millionaires.....	772.1
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. Stolen idols.....	778.4
Page, Thomas Nelson. The red riders.....	772.9
Parrish, Anne. The perennial bachelor.....	778.24
Pedler, Margaret. Red ashes.....	778.8
Porter, Gene Stratton. The keeper of the bees.....	778.23
Quick, Herbert. The invisible woman.....	778.6
Quick, Herbert. Vandemark's folly.....	716.39
Richmond, Grace S. Red of the Redfields.....	772.3
Sabatini, Rafael. The Carolinian.....	772.20
Sinclair, May. Arnold Waterlow, a life.....	773.20
Sinclair, May. The rector of Wyck.....	918.33
Smith, Harriet Lummus. Pollyanna's jewels. The fourth glad book.....	728.41
Smith, Harriet Lummus. Pollyanna of the orange blos- soms.....	728.40
Stackpoole, H. de Vere. The gates of the morning.....	772.13
Stern, G. B. Thunderstorm.....	778.19
Sullivan, Alan. The jade god.....	772.11
Vachell, Horace Annesley. Watling's. A novel.....	772.24

Watts, Mary S. The fabric of the loom.....	773.21
Weston, George. The beauty prize.....	778.9
White, Stewart Edward. The glory hole.....	773.22
Widdemer, Margaret. Charis sees it through.....	773.17
Wiggin, Kate Douglas. Creeping Jenny and other New England stories.....	772.10
Willoughby, Barrett. Rocking Moon. A romance of Alaska	778.17
Wilson, Margaret. The Kenworthys.....	925.38
Wodehouse, P. G. Bill the Conqueror.....	778.12
Wren, Percival Christopher. Beau Geste.....	778.3
Wright, Harold Bell. A son of his father.....	718.29

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Aspinwall, Alicia. Short stories for short people.....	C.S. 24
Barbour, Ralph Henry. Barry Locke, half-back.....	838.16
Britt, Albert. The boys' own book of frontiersmen.....	1215.33
Brooks, Elbridge S. On Wood Cove Island, or a sum- mer with Longfellow on the New England coast....	838.15
Clark, Margery. The poppy seed cakes.....	C.S. 16
Charskaya, L. A. Little Princess Nina: the story of a Russian girl.....	1238.25
Chesterton, G. K., and others. Number Two Joy Street. A medley of prose and verse, for boys and girls....	C.S. 24
Colum, Padraic. The peep-show man.....	C.S. 15
Colver, Alice Ross. Jeanne.....	838.13
Cooper, Courtney Ryly. Lions 'n' tigers 'n' everything..	1223.33
Curtis, Alice Turner. Little maid of Bunker Hill.....	838.12
De Musset, Paul. Mr. Wind and Madam Rain.....	C.S. 17
Faris, John T. Real stories from our history.....	C.S. 23
Fifty new poems for children: an anthology.....	838.11
Fuess, Claude E. All for Andover.....	1245.32
Gordon, Elizabeth. Really so stories.....	C.S. 14
Green, Fitzhugh, Lieutenant-Commander, U.S.N. Fought for Annapolis.....	1213.31
Green, Anne Bosworth. Greylight.....	1238.26
Hawkes, Clarence. Silversheene, king of sled dogs.....	838.10
Helton, Roy. The early adventures of Peacham Grew..	C.S. 18
Hodgkins, Mary D. Hutchinson, ed. The Atlantic treas- ury of childhood stories.....	1221.31
Hunt, Clara Whitehill. About Harriet.....	C.S. 20

Heyliger, William. High Benton, worker.....	838.14
Hill, George B. The young farmer.....	838.19
Hillyer, V. M. A child's history of the world.....	1223.34
Lippincott, Joseph Wharton. Bun, a wild rabbit.....	C.S. 21
Lofting, Hugh. Doctor Dolittle's circus.....	816.34
Macdonell, Anne. The Italian fairy book.....	C.S. 25
Meadowcraft, William H. The boy's life of Edison.....	838.17
Milne, A. A. When we were very young.....	C.S. 19
Otis, James. Chasing a yacht.....	838.18
Pierson, Clara D. Among the farm-yard people.....	848.4
Pumphrey, Margaret B. Stories of the Pilgrims.....	847.26
Terhune, Albert Payson. Wolf.....	848.5
Schwartz, Julia Augusta. Five little strangers and how they came to live in America.....	C.S. 22
Seaman, Augusta Huell. Bluebonnet Bend.....	838.20
Stefansson, Villyalmur, and Irwin, Violet. Kak, the copper Eskimo	1238.24
Van Dyke, Henry. The first Christmas tree.....	1215.34

TRAVEL

Baerlin, Henry. Over the hills of Ruthenia.....	415.28
Lummis, Charles F. Mesa, Canon and Pueblo.....	428.21
Wells, Carveth. Fellow of the Royal Geographical So- ciety, Associate Member Institution of Civil Engi- neers. Six years in the Malay jungle.....	411.19

BIOGRAPHY

Bok, Edward William. Twice thirty: some short and simple annals of the road.....	611.13
Bradford, Gamaliel. Wives. Mrs. Abraham Lincoln, Mrs. Benedict Arnold, Mrs. James Madison, Theo- dosia Burr, Mrs. Jefferson Davis, Mrs. Benjamin F. Butler, Mrs. James G. Blaine.....	526.24
Burke, Thomas. The wind and the rain. A book of confessions	637.12
Calkins, Earnest Elmo. "Louder, please." The auto- biography of a deaf man.....	512.26
Clemens, Samuel Langhorne. Personal recollections of Joan of Arc.....	512.27
Egan, Maurice Francis. Recollections of a happy life. Introduction by Henry Van Dyke.....	532.16

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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1925



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, <i>Chairman</i> ,	Term expires 1928
EDITH B. FARRAR (Mrs.), <i>Secretary</i> ,	Term expires 1927
GEORGE G. TARBELL,	Term expires 1926

Superintendent of Schools

NATHANIEL N. LOVE, Harvard, Mass.

Principal

CHARLES M. ROBINSON

Teachers

Junior High School—Grades VII-VIII-IX

PHYLLIS M. BRYANT
MARION D. PARKER
MILDRED D. MacDOUGALL

Grade VI

MYRTLE C. ELLIOTT

Grade V

OLIVE E. CASE

Grade IV

GENEVA V. ROGERS

Grade III

RUTH S. MILLS

Grade II

DOROTHY LINFIELD

Grade I

JOSEPHINE C. DOHERTY

Manual Training

LAFORREST ROBBINS

Typewriting

RUTH M. ROBINSON

School Physician

DR. HENRY A. WOOD

School Nurse

DOROTHY C. RUDOLF

Attendance Officer

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Janitor

EDWARD GRAF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter Term, first half, begins Monday, January 4, 1926, ends Friday, February 19, 1926; seven weeks.

Winter Term, second half, begins Monday, March 1, 1926, ends Friday, April 16, 1926; seven weeks.

Spring Term, begins Monday, April 26, 1926, ends Friday, June 11, 1926; seven weeks.

Fall Term, begins Wednesday, September 8, 1926, ends Wednesday, December 22, 1926; sixteen weeks.

Winter Term, begins Monday, January 3, 1927.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

From reports of Superintendent and Principal, it would appear that quite satisfactory progress has been made in the conduct of the schools during the past year.

Several changes in the teaching staff were necessary—four new teachers having been engaged to replace others resigned. Of those leaving, two accepted positions in their home towns, one leaving to be married, and one resigning because of ill health.

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent and Principal it was decided to form a class for typewriting. This necessitated the purchasing of four new typewriters. Instruction is given in this subject certain periods each week by a part time teacher.

School Transportation

During the past year it was necessary to make several changes in the various routes. Owing to the increased number of small children coming from the limits of the Kidder Road, this route was extended so as to take care of the needs of these children; there was also a rearrangement of one of the South Lincoln routes in order to accommodate children living on the outskirts adjoining Wayland. These two changes seem to be working out quite satisfactorily. In the north part of the Town, owing to the increased number of children, it was necessary to have Mr. Dee split his former route and make two trips. This arrangement too seems to be quite satisfactory at the present time. Owing to changes in the train schedule on the railroad, transportation had to be provided for the pupils

attending Concord High School. Mrs. Lindsey, proprietor of the Waltham Bus operating to Lincoln, was engaged and is now carrying the children to the Concord School in the morning. These same pupils are brought back in the afternoon by a bus from the Doherty Garage. The expense in connection with this change is somewhat in addition to the regular rate. However, it is expected that this arrangement will be only temporary, as it is quite likely that in the future train accommodations may again be had.

School Buildings

The outside of the Centre School was painted and certain repairs made and on the whole this building is now in very good condition.

In the South School building certain repairs and changes are very necessary. The west room, so-called, is not sufficiently heated in the winter. The heating plant installed recently does not seem adequate to properly heat this room. Neither of the entrys or coat rooms in this school can be heated under the present arrangement. The toilet facilities in the basement are not satisfactory. These are far from being sanitary and should be replaced by an up-to-date plant. This matter will need careful consideration and if changes are made the matter of the heating of the basement should be also considered in connection with this change. The ground in the front of this South School building should be given attention also. The broken concrete should be removed or replaced and gravel or other walks made from the building to the street.

It is quite apparent that the Centre School is now overcrowded and in fact has been for some time. During the past year a floor was laid in what was originally known as the Girls' Play Room and this room is now fitted for recitations and other class work in addition to its use as a cooking room.

The reports of the Superintendent and Principal suggest that the time has arrived when more rooms should be provided in order to take care of the increase in the number of classes made necessary by the increased number of pupils. Satisfactory work cannot be done unless the facilities are adequate for the doing of the work. This matter of additional school room should be given special attention by the Town during the present year.

Owing to the increased valuation of the Town the past year, Lincoln is now in that class wherein it is authorized to employ its own Superintendent. Steps have already been taken and application made for the withdrawal of Lincoln from the present School Superintendency Union comprising the Towns of Harvard, Bolton, Stow and Lincoln. It is expected that action will be taken on this request in the near future, the committee having been informed that it is quite likely that another town will be found to take the place of Lincoln in the present Union. This matter is now being given the attention of Mr. Jones of the Department of Education.

School Finances

A substantial increase for carrying on the schools during the year 1926 will be necessary. This increase comes principally in the matter of high school tuition and high school transportation.

The tuition at Concord is now \$125.00 a year and Waltham \$100.00. The Waltham rate having been increased the past year from \$75.00. There are at present attending Concord High School 13 pupils, Waltham High School 17 pupils, Belmont High 1 and 1 at Cambridge Latin. The present class or ninth grade has 24 pupils, all of which have manifested an intention of going on to high school. There are to graduate from Concord 8. This will leave about 50 scholars attending high

schools and accounting practically for all the increase in the appropriation required for the coming year.

The matter of the salaries will remain about the same as many of the teachers have now reached the maximum salary. On very careful scrutiny of the budget, it appears that an appropriation of \$32,500.00 will be necessary to meet the ordinary requirements for the present year. This amount the Committee would therefore recommend.

For further information on school matters, you are referred to the reports of the Superintendent, Principal and School Nurse annexed hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY,
GEORGE G. TARBELL,
EDITH B. FARRAR.

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL EXPENSES FOR YEAR 1925

Salaries	\$16,085.62
Supplies	578.30
Operating Expenses	190.52
Books	308.73
Tuition—High and Vocational	3,981.51
Local Transportation	5,122.50
High School Transportation	1,166.68
Physician and Nurse	607.76
New Equipment	463.58
Fuel	659.75
Repairs	180.84
Miscellaneous	151.14
	<hr/> \$29,496.93

Receipts on account of Schools

Trustees of Lincoln Grammar School Funds.....	\$57.52
Com. of Mass. Mass. School Fund	345.74
Com. of Mass. Vocational Education	949.16
Com. of Mass. Tuition of Pupils	1,543.81
Com. of Mass. High School Transportation	938.11
	<hr/> \$3,834.34

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Committee and Citizens of Lincoln:

It is with pleasure that I report progress to you. It is good to sum up, for if we are real educators we will want to take advantage of the new year to take stock and strike a balance. We should want to see on which side of the educational ledger the results of our labor falls.

It is good pedagogy as well as good sense to check up from time to time. We should question as to whether our pupils are being educated by wise and efficient teachings. I believe this to be the case for Lincoln. I believe the staff is sincere and that the co-operation is splendid among them—your public school teachers—and they are wisely directed by their principal and friend, Mr. Chas. Robinson. From the first grade throughout the ninth the best of spirit prevails and the results cannot fail to be good for both teachers and pupils. The final result will be a virile citizenry for Lincoln.

One thing of great value to Lincoln is the interest taken in play. We must direct it; we are. But even more must physical education and play be combined, for the play of children is not a thing with which to trifle. Play is necessary, a vital thing for children, for by it they gain their basic conception of society and their relation to it. Combine definite physical routine and exercise and you have a very valuable educational asset. True we must have the three R's, yet with them we must have the other because of the lasting educational effect of group play. This early conception of the rules of the game, of the rules of the child world casts its shadow or its light throughout the years of manhood or womanhood, and play—just play—properly directed or not directed, makes the difference. I am glad there-

fore to report interest and progress and I assure you that Mr. Robinson has this problem under advisement. If we were asked to put it in the form of a question, it should be this: Do we believe in health education? I believe we do, yet I am not so sure but what it cannot be taken more seriously and all the subjects be given health applications, at least wherever possible. The National Committee on Education a few years ago formulated what are known as the seven fundamentals in education for the secondary school. The elementary school adopted six of these. The committee maintained that health was the first of the seven of these objectives. "It is an easy matter to secure assent by both educationalists and laity to this ranking." What we are concerned with in Lincoln is the translation of this assent into action. Thus we are attempting this in play and should in physical education, and English, and all the rest. And upon the parents rests no uncertain amount of obligation along health lines.

The other studies are progressing well. We are doing something in music. I wish it might be more with a definite supervisor. The same with art.

I cannot say too much for the consistent efforts and pains taken by Mr. Robbins in manual training. Some things we think we teach will soon banish. It is right that they should, if in the process, the mind is a little more prepared to meet life's requirements. But the thing the boys get in this department will persist for life with most of them and always be of value regardless of the vocations or professions into which these pupils will ultimately go.

I can say no more than that there is definite progress being made all along the line. Mr. Robinson three years ago through the use of the Otis tests re-grouped the pupils as far as possible according to ability and individual difference. Now we have them so grouped we can and must go on.

"That more attention should be given to individualized instruction seems evident." That pupils must be socialized must not be forgotten. We want men and women today, tomorrow strong of body, with well trained minds, with a respect for and a willingness to work. This is my thesis for Lincoln and I can do nothing but commend the teachers for their support. There is much to do—the end is not yet—therefore we all must work.

To the parents and citizens I would say that the effectiveness of your school depends upon the interest you take in them. Do you make it a business of visiting the schools to set up a standard of facts for yourselves? In a community where parents visit and learn, there you will find more lively schools, better schools than in a community where such is not the case. Our critics are those who, for the most part, depend upon the "gossip" of others for their information. First hand information is always the best; therefore, those parents who are really interested in the schools of Lincoln will visit them several times a term. You need not try to judge. Let your duly appointed officials do that. But there are many things visiting parents should notice when they do visit schools.

I take the liberty of having printed here some of the reasons why parents and public should visit the schools, what they should observe during their visits, and some items, that as parents, you should seek. If upon consideration of these questions there should be an expressed need by parents for information as to things in general about the school for discussions could be arranged through a Parent-Teachers Association.

I. Reasons Parents Should Visit the Schools

1. To keep in touch with the work of their children.
2. To encourage the teachers.
3. To get first hand information about the work of the schools.

4. To show their willingness to co-operate with the administration of the school.
5. For the moral effect it will have on the pupil to know that parents and teachers are pulling together in his training and discipline.
6. To become acquainted personally with teachers and principals.
7. To learn at first hand the conditions under which their children spend five hours a day.
8. To learn the problems children must meet (course of study, easy studies, difficult studies, time schedules, etc.).
9. To make it more possible for school officials to interpret to parents the policies under which the school operates.
10. To advise school authorities as to the needs of the district as seen from the parent's standpoint.
11. To assist in obtaining certain things for the school that some districts seem unable to offer, such as cafeteria equipment, victrolas, motion-picture equipment, etc.
12. To know the conditions and needs of the school so that they may intelligently defend the reputation of the schools and assist in keeping the schools from being commercialized and propagandized.
13. To view their children from an angle other than that of the home and thus be able to guide more wisely their development.
14. In order that parents themselves may understand and appreciate changes in courses of study.
15. To secure an accurate idea of the objectives of modern education and to find out how these objectives are being worked out in practice.
16. To aid in developing the real school spirit in the community.

II. What to Observe

1. The sanitary condition of the school building.
2. The general discipline and management of the school.
3. The attitude of the teacher toward the children.
4. The attitude of the children toward the teacher.
5. The size of the classes.
6. The supply of supplementary material as maps, dictionaries, etc.
7. The physical conditions under which teachers and pupils are working.
8. Facilities offered for the development of the health of the children—playgrounds, nurses' quarters, etc.
9. To what extent their own children participate in school activities.
10. Equipment of school especially as relates to library, gymnasium, shop instructional material, etc.

III. Information Parents Should Seek

1. What parents can do to help the schools.
2. Whether any bad habits have been noted in pupils.
3. What is the general school success of the child.
4. Are the teachers' salaries adequate.
5. What are the qualifications demanded of the teaching force.
6. General policies of the school department.
7. Specific facts about parents' own children.
8. Per capita cost as compared with that of other cities.
9. Whether the child is working up to his full capacity as determined by intelligence and educational tests.
10. What are the vocational tendencies of the child if any are manifest.

11. Purposes of the various courses of study.
12. Reasons for making or not making changes in course of study.
13. Finances of school district, tax rate, indebtedness, etc.
14. Is pupil in course best suited to his capacity and needs.
15. Does pupil show any special aptitudes; disabilities.
16. Has pupil too many outside activities.
17. Is pupil courteous and helpful.
18. Does pupil enter into a sufficient number of student activities.
19. What provisions are made for backward and for superior children.

In closing let me say that should more detailed information regarding statistics be desired the same can be had in Public Document No. 2 published by the State Department of Education. It is free upon request.

Respectfully submitted, with a sincere appreciation for the continuance of your co-operation and good fellowship.

N. N. LOVE,
District Superintendent of Schools.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I hereby submit my third annual report as Principal of the Lincoln Schools.

Teachers

Four new teachers entered the force last fall.

Miss Dorothy Linfield of Watertown, a graduate of the Lesley Normal School, is now teaching Grade II in place of Miss Allen, who resigned to be married.

Miss Ruth S. Mills of West Hampstead, N. H., comes to the third grade from the West Bridgewater schools. Miss Dodge accepted a position in her home town of Arlington.

Miss Geneva V. Rogers of Jonesport, Maine, brings to the fourth grade several years of experience in Maine schools. On account of ill health, Mrs. Ruth MacRae resigned in March and Mrs. Robinson taught the remainder of the year.

Miss Mildred D. MacDougall, from the West Bridgewater schools, also brings to Lincoln many years of teaching experience. She is taking the place in the Junior High School of Miss Perkins, who accepted a position in her home town of Lynn.

From the above it can easily be seen that Lincoln now has a teaching staff with experience in back of it. With the single exception of the second grade teacher, every teacher in the Lincoln schools has at least two years of experience, the majority of them having taught five or more years. To secure teachers of this calibre means a little larger cost of salaries,

but the schools are well repaid by the additional experience brought into them.

Improvements

Because of special training in a particular subject, some of the teachers have been made supervisors in Grades IV to IX. Miss Parker is Supervisor of Drawing in these grades, and Miss Rogers is Supervisor of Music. Miss Mills, who has trained at the Sargent School, is Director of Physical Education in all the grades at the Centre School.

In September, the ninth grade pupils were divided into two sections, a college and a commercial course. In order to properly prepare those in the commercial course for the Senior High School, it was necessary to give them some instructions in typewriting. Consequently, four new Underwood typewriters were purchased and together with the office machine were placed in the small room on the second floor over the front entrance. Mrs. Robinson, an experienced typist, was elected to do the instructing. By having two divisions of the subject, ten pupils were given an opportunity to study typewriting. On January 1, 1926, provision was made for a third section, thereby permitting the remaining five pupils in the commercial course to receive instruction. One-half a year of bookkeeping will also be given to those studying the commercial subjects.

On account of using the small room part of the time for typewriting, additional class room was needed for the Junior High School. Consequently, a board floor was laid over the concrete in the cooking room in the girls' basement, and the room was fitted for regular classes when it is not being used for cooking.

For a home room, grades seven and eight together use the large room which originally was used for Manual Training.

This room is used by the entire Junior High School for morning exercises and for weekly assemblies.

The Demerit System used last year in the upper grades was abolished in September. In its place for the Junior High School was established a half hour appointment period at the close of the school session. Its purpose is three-fold: First, any pupils wishing help or explanation by the teachers will always be able to receive it at this time; second, pupils who fail to do their studying when they should are required to complete their assignments at this period; third, those who misbehave or are inattentive in school must stay during this period as punishment.

The last period every Friday afternoon is devoted to a Junior High School Assembly, when interesting and instructive programs are given. At such times, knowledge obtained in the various classrooms may be put to practical use or outside speakers may be secured. At one assembly period, Dr. Wood gave a very interesting illustrated talk on his tour to Africa last spring.

During the summer, all the swings and teeters were put in first class shape, the boys' swings being moved to the lower end of the field so as not to interfere with the baseball field. The recesses on the playground at the Centre School are always under teacher supervision. Ever since the writer came to Lincoln, three years ago, there has always been one teacher in charge of the playground at every recess. In the past year, during the fall and spring terms, there have been two teachers supervising the playground at both morning and noon recesses.

In order to improve the posture of the school children, indoor setting-up exercises were started in each grade on the first day of the winter term this year. The entire program of physical education is under the guidance and direction of Miss Mills, who is assisted by a pupil leader from each room.

Exhibition and Graduation Exercises

A fine exhibit of the year's work in each grade was given at the Town Hall on Wednesday evening, June 10, 1925. In the lower hall there was an excellent display of the objects made during the year in the Manual Training classes.

Graduation exercises were furnished by the ninth grade of the Junior High School consisting of the following program:

Address of Welcome	Joseph Lennon
Class History, Part I	Bernard Lennon
Class History, Part II	Albert Kelley
Poem, "Gradatim"	Doris Laughlin
Song, "The Merry World is Fair and Wide"	
	Junior High School
Class Will	Evelyn Rogers
Essay, "Citizenship"	Mary Matucieski
Class Prophecy	Margaret Farrar
Song, "Speed Our Republic"	Junior High School
French Play, "Le Lecon Francais"	
Superintendent	Albert Kelley
Teacher	Lily Chapman

Pupils

Charles Hentz	Mary Matucieski
Eva Johansen	Josephine Roberts
Alice Kennedy	Evelyn Rogers
Doris Laughlin	Frances Rooney
Mary MacAskill	Caroline Seeckts
Rose Mannarino	

High School Pupils

Of the twenty-one pupils in the Junior High graduating class of 1925, nineteen entered high school.

At the present time Lincoln is sending thirty-five pupils to high schools in other towns as follows: Waltham, 17; Concord,

13; Belmont, 1; Cambridge, 1; Newton, 1; and Boston Trade School, 2.

Every effort is made to not only thoroughly prepare our pupils for these high schools, but also to keep in close touch with them until they are through school. Frequent visits are made by the writer to the Concord and Waltham schools to discuss with the teachers and principals the status of each Lincoln pupil; and if they are found to be of low standing, the reason ascertained. The marks of all the Lincoln pupils in these schools are obtained and are kept on file in my office.

Although I am glad to report that on the average our high school pupils are doing fairly good work, the responsibility for their success rests almost entirely on the individual and the parents.

The parents must see that the pupils attend school regularly, that they study their lessons when they should, and also that too many outside activities do not distract their time and attention from the school work. Wherever failure has occurred in the past two years, it is easily traced to one of the above causes and not to insufficient preparation in our school.

Membership and Attendance

The membership of the Lincoln schools on January 1, 1926, is as follows: South School, 58; Centre School, 168; total, 226. This is but a slight increase over last year, as our new pupils in Grade I numbered but six more than our outgoing class.

It is interesting to compare the attendance record of 1924-25 with that of the previous year. Although the yearly average shows only a slight increase, there was not a single month in which the average percentage of all the grades dropped below 90. Grades five and six each received the banner for four months. The chart showing the figures of the entire school is found on the following page:

PERCENTAGE OF ATTENDANCE FOR 1924-25

Grade	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Ave.
IX	98.27	97.26	96.13	*95.18	92.51	94.06	97.68	92.84	90.85	94.90	94.97
VIII	95.99	94.00	96.90	93.33	81.08	93.53	95.27	92.95	94.36	93.21	93.06
VII	95.52	95.83	93.50	93.37	84.17	92.21	90.83	92.52	94.34	93.04	92.53
VI	*99.08	*97.94	96.12	90.25	91.23	96.84	*97.89	93.41	94.47	*95.40	95.26
V	93.63	95.68	*97.83	93.35	*92.61	*98.26	97.35	*97.55	92.21	95.35	*95.38
IV	97.45	96.54	97.52	92.48	86.68	97.21	94.64	95.20	*96.21	94.95	94.89
III	96.15	97.63	97.07	93.44	85.89	92.14	91.25	94.10	92.38	93.58	93.36
II	98.85	95.52	94.63	97.94	76.03	93.91	94.06	86.03	92.47	90.79	92.02
I	92.49	97.22	94.23	81.88	88.89	89.15	94.26	88.81	94.12	91.81	91.29
School Average	96.39	*96.40	95.99	92.36	91.01	94.15	94.80	92.60	93.49	93.67	93.28

*Indicates banner attendance.

The following pupils were not absent a single day during the school year 1924-25:

Grade	III	Auther Powers
"	IV	Ebba Nelson
		George Dean
"	V	Elmo Poland
		Virgil Poland
"	VI	Jean Donaldson
"	VII	Mary Campobasso
"	VIII	Margaret Lennon
"	IX	Charlotte Donaldson
		Evelyn Rogers
		Joseph Lennon

We cannot impress too strongly upon the parents the importance of having their children attend school every day if possible. Very few pupils can afford to lose a day, or even part of a day, without their work suffering. If there is to be only a morning session of school, some parents think that nothing will be missed if the children do not attend. In analyzing the absences, it is surprising to find so many caused, not by sickness, but by missing the barge or by going away. Only by the closest co-operation between the home and the school can the percentage of attendance be raised, the number having perfect attendance be increased, and the pupil himself get the most possible out of school.

Barges

The barge routes were rearranged in the fall in order that better accommodations might be afforded more pupils. Two trips are being made by the North Lincoln barge, as the pupils were too numerous for one load. I feel we are very fortunate in having good barge equipment and such careful drivers. A careful comparison of the cost of transportation with that of other towns shows that we are spending no more than the average of such towns in this state.

Pupils living within one mile of the school do not ride on the barges. On January 1, 1926, nevertheless, 178 of the membership of 226, or 80%, are being transported to and from school. Under such conditions, the Town of Lincoln cannot expect the cost of transportation to be very small.

Health

We have been very fortunate not to have any disease epidemics during the past year. In the fall a thorough physical examination was given by Dr. Wood, the school physician, and assisted by Miss Rudolf. As a result, several children have had their tonsils and adenoids removed at the Waltham Hospital. Further details may be found in the Nurse's report.

Hot cocoa was served to the pupils of both schools from the first of January to the first of April. The school is again indebted to the Grange for its contribution of \$100 to this fund.

Although there was no dental clinic in schools last fall, arrangements are being made to have one in the spring.

Club Work

In co-operation with, and under the supervision of the Middlesex County Extension Service, club work is being continued in the school. Three clubs were formed this fall: a Handicraft Club of 16 boys under the direction of Mr. Robbins; a Cooking Club of 12 girls under the direction of Miss Parker; and a Sewing Club under the direction of Miss Elliott. The boys' club meets every Wednesday afternoon after school for about an hour; and the girls' clubs meet once in two weeks. Much interesting and instructive work is done in these clubs.

School Play

On Friday evening, April 17, 1925, a three-act play, entitled "The Adventures of Grandpa," was presented by the Junior

High School under the direction of Miss Bryant. The cast of characters was as follows:

Montgomery Ray ("Monte"), Grandpa's grandson	Joseph Lennon
Tod Hunter, a young dancing master	Earle Harvey
Otis Hammerhead ("Grandpa"), from Yellow Bud, O.	Bernard Lennon
Officer McCormack, who seen his duty and done it	Albert Kelley
Lucy Junter, our little wife	Mary Matucieski
Dorothy May, just out of college	Eva Johansen
Mrs. Pansy Hopscotch, fair, fat and forty	Margaret Farrar
Marie Ribeau, the girl from Paris	Doris Laughlin
Kloompy, twelve days from Copenhagen over	Lily Chapman

Buildings

As has been stated earlier in this report, both Centre and South school buildings are very near the limit of their capacity. By utilizing the girls' basement room as a class room when it is not being used for cooking, all of the classes are taken care of at the present time. This room, however, is not satisfactory as a permanent arrangement, for the classes are crowded and there are not proper heating facilities.

As I pointed out in my report last year, there is a great need of an indoor recreation room, in order to carry on our physical education program satisfactorily a gymnasium or other room in which the children may spend their recesses on stormy days.

An assembly room is also essential. The Junior High School, consisting of grades seven, eight and nine, meet together every morning for opening exercises, and also one period each week known as Assembly Period. Occasional assemblies of the entire school are necessary. At such times the pupils must journey to the Town Hall which is generally insufficiently heated during

the winter. It might even be advisable to have an assembly room so constructed that it could be used as a gymnasium for our physical exercises and also for basketball or other indoor games during the winter.

There are at present 58 pupils in the South School. If this number remains the same or increases next year, it will be necessary to make several changes to improve the sanitation of the building. It might be well to consider the advisability of moving these grades back to the center of the town if any sort of a building program is undertaken.

Conclusion

I cannot impress upon the parents too strongly the fact that they should visit the schools frequently. Rumors are often circulated around town which have no foundation and which could easily be refuted by a visit to the schools or a talk with the principal, who is always willing to discuss matters with parents at any time.

Both the teachers and the principal have been attentive to the needs of the various pupils in each of the grades. A large amount of individual work has been done, not only to bring the poorer pupils up to grade, but also to increase the efficiency of the grade as a whole. In the Junior High School we have strived to keep pace with the work done in the Waltham Junior High School and the first year of Concord High, in order that our pupils may enter high school just as well prepared as the local pupils. We have likewise tried to emphasize the importance of hard work, diligent study and neatness as well as correct results.

It is gratifying to find most of the parents backing us in these aims and ideals, for only by the close co-operation of the home and the school will satisfactory results be obtained. We have the welfare of the pupils at heart and whatever is done is for their own good.

I wish to thank the School Committee and the parents for the co-operation and courtesy extended to me during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. ROBINSON, *Principal.*

Statistics for Year Ending June 30, 1925

Pupils enrolled		234
Boys	126	
Girls	108	
Pupils for whom Town paid tuition elsewhere		30
Non-resident pupils attending school in Lincoln		21
Average daily attendance		207
Number of days schools were in session		178
Average membership		221
Registration of minors, April 1, 1925		
5 years and under	7	33
7 " " " 14		175
14 " " " 16		47
	Total	255

Membership by Age and Grade, April 1, 1925

Age	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Total
Grade I.	20	8											28
II.		15	5	2									22
III.			14	10	3	1							28
IV.			4	11	4	4	2						25
V.				3	11	8	2	1					25
VI.					1	10	6	0	2				19
VII.						2	8	7	0	6	1		24
VIII.					1	0	7	5	11	3	1	1	29
IX.								6	5	6	3	1	21
Total	20	23	23	26	20	25	25	19	18	15	5	2	221

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Lincoln School Committee:

A report of the school nursing for the fall term, September 9, 1925, to December 23, 1925, is hereby submitted.

During the sixteen weeks I have given both schools daily inspection with the exception of fourteen days spent in Sudbury schools. Calls were made on these days whenever they were necessary. Special attention was paid to eyes, teeth, heads, ears, nose and throat, posture, mal-nutrition and vaccination. Every opportunity is used to teach the children general health principles.

Physical examination by Dr. Henry A. Wood of the 227 pupils found:

- 100 cases of tonsils
- 66 cases of adenoids
- 109 cases of glands
- 2 cardiac cases under treatment
- 2 infantile paralysis cases under treatment.

Twenty of these cases are marked cases and follow-up work has been done on them and a number of the parents have been co-operative in correcting defects discovered.

Thirteen pupils were vaccinated by Dr. Wood. There were 228 office calls of pupils treated or advised. Six were taken home from school because of illness. Sixty-four "home" or "follow-up" calls have been made.

There has been one case of chicken pox; one case of measles; 10 cases of acute contagious conjunctivitis or "pink eye," and 12 cases of scabies; but nothing that could be called an epidemic.

Eye and ear tests have been given and notices sent. In Sep-

tember and December pupils were weighed and measured and in December notices sent home to parents stating height, weight and normal weight of all pupils in the Centre School.

During the term I have attended a School Nursing Conference held in Worcester and a group meeting of School Nurses held in Waltham. School sanitation was fully discussed at the Worcester conference and it is very satisfactory to find Lincoln well up in the standard and much credit due Mr. Graf.

In closing I wish to thank all who have so kindly co-operated with me.

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DOROTHY C. RUDOLF, R. N.

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Given under our hands this 20th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

By-Laws of the Town of Lincoln

"ARTICLE I.

TOWN MEETINGS.

Section 1. The annual town meeting shall be held on the first Monday of March in each year.

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FINANCES.

Section 1. The financial year shall commence with the first day of January and end with the thirty-first day of December annually.

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Sect. 5. Drafts signed by a majority of the selectmen, stating the accounts to which the same are chargeable, shall be drawn upon the treasurer for the payment of all sums by law payable from the treasury to the commonwealth or county, final judgments of courts, bonds, notes, and scrip of the town and interest thereon and money payable to the commissioners of the sinking fund and to the trustees of the public library; and also for the payment of all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls which have been approved in the manner provided in the previous section. Such drafts shall not be negotiated, but shall be transmitted by the selectmen directly to the treasurer accompanied by the approved bills or other documents for the settlement of which the drafts are drawn.

Sect. 6. The treasurer shall file and safely keep all approved and receipted accounts, claims, bills, and pay-rolls, and all vouchers, cancelled bonds, notes, scrip, and other evidences of indebtedness of the town which have been paid from the treasury.

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Sect. 8. The selectmen and treasurer respectively shall make a record, in a book kept for the purpose, of each appropriation, with a list of the drafts drawn against such appropriation, and shall make a record of all bonds, notes, scrip or other evidence of indebtedness of the town, signed or countersigned by them.

Sect. 9. When the bills contracted or approved by any board, committee, or officer have exhausted the entire appropriation for such board, committee or officer, they shall

incur no further expenditure, except in cases where such expenditure may be required by law; and it shall be the duty of each board, committee or officer before the close of the financial year to approve all accounts, claims, bills and pay-rolls chargeable to their appropriation. During the interval between the thirty-first day of December in each year and the time of making the next annual appropriations, the selectmen, school committee and water commissioners, in order to meet the liabilities of their several departments, incurred in the carrying on of the work entrusted to them, shall have authority to make expenditures and payments from the treasury from any available funds therein, and the same shall be charged against the next annual appropriation. Such expenditures and liability incurred for any purpose shall not exceed one-fourth the entire amount appropriated for that purpose in the previous year.

Sect. 10. Unless the town shall expressly otherwise vote, no extension of water pipes shall be made unless before the work of construction is begun one or more of the persons whom it is proposed to supply with water by means of such extension, shall file with the town clerk a bond with sureties satisfactory to the water commissioners, conditioned to pay to the town for five years next following the completion of such extension and the letting of water into the same, a sum sufficient, together with the net annual income from such extension, to amount annually to five per centum of the total cost thereof.

ARTICLE III.

TOWN SEAL.

Section 1. The design of the town seal shall be: a circle, in the border the words "Lincoln. Incorporated in 1746 as a precinct; in 1754 as a Town"; in the center, a shield, in

the chief or upper part of which on a cross, gules, a fleur-de-lis, gold, from the old seal of Lincoln, England, and in the base of the shield a view of the present town hall; crest, the old chestnut tree standing upon the common in Lincoln; in saltire two shepherd's crooks; the device thereof being as follows:

Sect. 2. All deeds and other legal documents made, given or entered into by the town requiring a seal shall be sealed with the town seal, and signed in behalf of the town by a majority of the selectmen.

Sect. 3. The town clerk shall have the custody of the town seal.

ARTICLE IV.

RECORDS.

Section 1. The town clerk shall record in full in a book kept for the purpose all written contracts, deeds and other instruments to which the town is a party except such instruments as may by law be recorded in the Registry of Deeds; and it shall be the duty of any board or officer executing or receiving such written contract, or other instrument, to deliver the same forthwith to the town clerk for the purpose of record. It shall be the duty of the town clerk to see that all conveyances of real estate to the town are properly recorded in the Registry of Deeds.

Sect. 2. Except in cases of public calamity or extreme necessity, whenever any work is required to be done for the Town or any contract for labor or materials, or both is to be made in behalf of the Town, for an amount exceeding the sum of \$500.00, the town officer, having the matter in charge, shall solicit proposals for the same from two or more reliable parties, regularly engaged or employed in such work or business,

or shall publicly advertise for bids, but no contract shall be split, separated or divided for the purpose of reducing the amount thereof below said sum of \$500.00.

Sect. 3. The town clerk shall keep a file of all town reports, reports of all committees chosen by the town, and all original documents relating to the affairs of the town which may come into his possession.

ARTICLE V.

Books.

Section 1. Books, records and laws received by the town from the commonwealth shall be deposited in the public library building.

Sect. 2. It shall be the duty of the town officer by whom any book mentioned in the preceding section is received, to cause the same to be at once deposited in the public library building.

Sect. 3. Such books may be used by the inhabitants of the town within such building, and may be taken therefrom upon written receipt to the librarian for a period not exceeding one day at any one time for use in any town meeting, or by or before any committee or official of the town.

ARTICLE VI.

SUITS AND CONTROVERSIES.

Section 1. The selectmen may compromise claims and suits to which the town is a party, provided that they shall act upon the advice of counsel when the amount claimed by or against the town exceeds \$200.00.

Sect. 2. The selectmen shall have, unless it is otherwise voted by the town, full authority as agents of the town to institute and prosecute suits or other proceedings in the name of the town before any tribunal, to appear and represent or defend the town before any tribunal in all suits and other proceedings against the town or in which the town has an interest, to employ counsel for the purpose aforesaid and for other purposes when it may be expedient to do so, and to take all necessary and proper measures for the protection of the interests and rights of the town.

Sect. 3. If the town shall, at any meeting called for the purpose, choose a committee on claims, such committee shall have and exercise exclusively all the powers and duties conferred upon the selectmen by the two preceding sections.

ARTICLE VII.

REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS BY THE TOWN.

Section 1. The annual reports of the town officers, boards and committees shall be prepared in form suitable for printing on or before the tenth day of February in each year. The selectmen shall cause such reports to be printed and distributed to the legal voters of the town seven days at least before the annual meeting.

Sect. 2. The selectmen shall cause to be printed and bound each year with the annual reports of the town officers, boards and committees, a copy of the records of the town meetings during the preceding year; a statement of all devices, bequests and donations to the town during the preceding year; a list of all laws of the commonwealth accepted by the town during the year; all by-laws adopted by the town since the preceding annual report; and a statement of all outstanding bonds, notes and obligations of the town for the payment of money.

Sect. 3. The selectmen shall from time to time cause to be printed a sufficient number of copies of the by-laws of the town and shall incorporate therewith a list of the laws of the commonwealth which have been accepted by the town.

ARTICLE VIII.

TRUANTS.

Section 1. Any minor being an habitual truant, and any child between the ages of seven and fifteen years found wandering about the streets or public places within the town having no lawful occupation or business, not attending school, and growing up in ignorance, and such children as persistently violate the reasonable rules and regulations of the public schools, may upon conviction thereof be committed to the Middlesex County Truant School at Chelmsford, Mass., or to any other place provided by the town within its limits, for confinement, instruction, and discipline.

ARTICLE IX.

PUBLIC REGULATIONS.

Section 1. No person shall coast upon any public street or part thereof after the selectmen have posted a notice prohibiting coasting upon such street or part thereof.

Sect. 2. No person, unless authorized by law, shall break or dig up any part of any street without a written permit therefor from the selectmen. Every person who after obtaining such permit shall obstruct or render unsafe any public street, shall guard the same by a proper fence or railing, and by lights during the night time, subject to the approval of the selectmen. Such permit may be revoked at any time.

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Sect. 4. No person shall make, write, print, paint, cut or post any indecent or obscene marks, words, figures or signs upon any fence, building, post, tree or other object exposed to public view.

Sect. 5. No person shall wilfully injure, mar, deface or destroy any fence, signboard, guideboard, lamp-post, lamp or lantern in any street or public place, nor extinguish any street light, nor extinguish or remove any light placed to denote an obstruction or a defect in any public street or way, without proper authority to do so.

Sect. 6. Any person who shall offend against any of the provisions of this article shall forfeit and pay, for each offense, a sum not exceeding twenty dollars."

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Town Clerk.

THOMAS L. GILES

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

CHARLES S. SMITH (Chairman)	.	.	Term expires	1927
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	.	.	" "	1929
C. LEE TODD	.	.	" "	1928

Assessors.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN (Chairman)	.	Term expires	1929
HERBERT G. FARRAR	.	" "	1927
THOMAS J. DEE	.	" "	1928

Treasurer.

GEORGE G. TARBELL

Collector of Taxes.

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Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM

School Committee.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY	Term expires 1928
EDITH B. FARRAR	" " 1927
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Water Commissioners.

JOHN J. KELLIHER	Term expires 1928
SUMNER SMITH	" " 1929
ROBERT R. HUNTER	" " 1927

Board of Health.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON	Term expires 1929
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" " 1927
MARTIN M. WELCH	" " 1928

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

CHARLES S. SMITH	Term expires 1927
C. LEE TODD	" " 1928
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" " 1929

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires 1927
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Cemetery Commisisoners.

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FRITZ CUNNERT	" " 1929

Field Drivers.

DAVID C. BOWEN
 CARROLL PIKE
 WALDO LANGILLE
 A. HENRY HIGGINSON

Fence Viewers.

DAVID C. BOWEN
 WILLIAM H. SHERMAN

Surveyor of Lumber.

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

JOHN F. FARRAR

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY

AMOS R. LITTLE

Trustees of Lincoln Library.

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HEREOF FAIL NOT.

And make due return of this WARRANT with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 20th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

Lincoln, February 20, 1926.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one on the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the Town Meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at one o'clock P. M., who read the Warrant and presided at the election of Moderator.

ART. 1 George G. Tarbell was elected Moderator.

Meeting adjourned until 1.40 P. M.

At 1.40 the meeting was called to order by the Moderator.

ART. 3 The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Field Drivers.—

David C. Bowen
Carroll Pike
Waldo Langille
A. Henry Higginson

Fence Viewers.—

David C. Brown
William H. Sherman

Survey of Lumber.—

Elmer A. Rollins

Measurers of Wood and Bark.—

Elmer A. Rollins
John F. Farrar

Trustees Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway
Amos R. Little

ART. 4 The reports of all Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees were accepted as printed in the Town Report.

ART. 5 Under this Article the following appropriations were made:

Appropriations.—

For Schools	\$32,500.00
“ Support of Poor	1,000.00
“ Highways and Bridges	14,000.00
“ Snow Work	4,000.00
“ South Great Road (to be taken from the Treasury)	7,500.00
“ Library (Dog Tax and)	1,000.00
“ Cemetery (500.00 to be taken from Cemetery Fund, 500.00 to be used for the purchase of Land	1,000.00
“ Board of Health	500.00
“ Tree Warden	1,200.00
“ Miscellaneous and Police	7,500.00
“ Hydrants and other Water Service	2,500.00
“ Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400.00
“ Street Lights	1,800.00
“ Fire Dept. (8,500.00 to be taken from the Treasury for the payment of Fire Engine)	9,000.00
“ District Nurse	750.00
“ Water Bond (to be taken from the Water Works Treasury)	500.00
“ Middlesex Extension Service	200.00

ART. 6 Voted that the Taxes be collected in the same manner as last year.

ART. 7 Voted that the compensation of the Collector be one and one-half per cent.

ART. 8 Voted that the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning Jan. 1, 1926, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the town in payment therefor, payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9 Under this article \$200.00 was appropriated and Herman Wheeler was elected Director to serve, and the money to be expended in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County aid to agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service.

ART. 10 Voted that all matters relating to providing for additional school room at the Center School Building, by the erection of an additional school building or otherwise, also all matters in connection with the keeping open or closing of the South School and as to extensive repairs on this building, be referred to a Committee consisting of the School Committee and Mrs. Robert D. Donaldson, Miss Bertha Scripture, David Mann and C. Lee Todd, the last named, appointed by the chair, they to make an exhaustive study of the whole matter and report at the next Annual Town Meeting.

ART. 11 Voted to lay on the table.

ART. 12 Voted to accept the provisions named in this article and appoint a Committee who shall consult with the Selectmen and draw up the by-law required by the statute and report to the town at a future meeting. This Committee to consist of the following: John Adams, Lorenzo Bowen, Mrs. Robert Loring, Theodore Quimby and E. Russell Davis.

ART. 13 Voted to pass over this article.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

Town Election under the provision of Article 2 of the above Warrant.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, George G. Tarbell, who appointed the Town Clerk to take charge of the election.

The following were appointed election officers:

Ballot Clerks.—

Thomas J. Dee and Mrs. May Bodley

Tellers.—

Herbert G. Farrar and Charles M. Robinson

The Ballot Box was inspected and found to be in good working order.

The Polls were declared open at 12.30 P. M.

The Polls were closed at 6.30 P. M.

The Register on the Ballot Box agreed with the check lists used.

The Ballots were counted and the results of the election announced at 7 P. M.

The meeting then adjourned.

The following is the result of the election:

For Town Clerk, 1 Year.—

Thomas L. Giles	274	votes
Harold S. Cousins	1	"
Blanks	22	"

For Selectman, 3 Years. —

Robert A. Bowman	67	votes
Robert D. Donaldson	226	"
Blanks	4	"

For Assessor, 3 Years.—

William H. Sherman	258	votes
Robert A. Bowman	1	"
Frank Ryan	1	"
Frank Gustin	1	"
Blanks	36	"

For Treasurer, 1 Year.—

Amos R. Little	108	votes
George G. Tarbell	184	"
Blanks	5	"

For Collector of Taxes, 1 Year.—

Thomas L. Giles	271	votes
Blanks	26	"

For Auditor, 1 Year.—

James W. Lennon	266	votes
Anthony Doherty	1	"
Blanks	30	"

For Constables, 1 Year.—

George E. Cunningham	239	votes
John J. Kelliher	252	"
James H. Diamond	23	"

For School Committee, 3 Years.—

George G. Tarbell	256	votes
Frank Kidder	1	"
Frank Ryan	1	"
Bertha Scripture	2	"
Blanks	37	"

For Water Commissioner, 3 Years.—

Sumner Smith	260	votes
James Lahey	1	"
Frank Ryan	1	"
Blanks	35	"

For Board of Health, 3 Years.—

Robert D. Donaldson	262 votes
Blanks	35 "

For Tree Warden, 1 Year.—

John J. Kelliher	263 votes
Blanks	34 "

For Cemetery Commissioner, 3 Years.—

Fritz Cunnert	261 votes
Blanks	36 "

For Trust Fund Commissioner, 3 Years.—

Amos R. Little	11 votes
F. Winchester Denio	47 "
C. Lee Todd	11 "
George G. Tarbell	3 "
Andrew Doherty	1 "
Robert A. Bowman	1 "
Robert D. Donaldson	2 "
William B. Riley	1 "
William C. Robus	1 "
Conrad P. Hatheway	1 "
Sumner Smith	1 "
Blanks	217 "

For Trustee, Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures, 3 Years.—

F. Winchester Denio	54 votes
C. Lee Todd	11 "
Amos R. Little	6 "
Edward F. Flint	1 "
Patrick Craven	1 "

Sumner Smith	2	"
George G. Tarbell	4	"
William Riley	1	"
Florence Woodhull	1	"
Robert A. Bowman	1	"
Conrad P. Hatheway	1	"
Mrs. Robert A. Bowman	1	"
Blanks	213	"

On the question Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town:

Yes	96	votes
No	121	"
Blanks	80	"

The above is a true record of the proceedings of the Town Elections held under Article 2 of the Warrant of Feb. 20, 1926.

Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

Vital Statistics

There have been recorded during the year ending Dec. 31, 1926, 15 Marriages, 26 Births and 19 Deaths.

Marriages Registered

Date of Marriage	Names	Residence
Dec. 31, 1925	Joseph Caton Nimes Ruth Evelyn Sherman	Waltham Lincoln
Jan. 18, 1926	Walter Barthell Emma Cunnert	Lincoln Lincoln
Jan. 23, 1926	Hermon Temple Wheeler Regina Philomene Horton	Lincoln Weymouth
Feb. 16, 1926	John Rose, Jr. Dorothy Frances Murray	Lexington Lincoln
Feb. 20, 1926	Waldo Vernon Langille Eva May Rollins	Lincoln Lincoln
May 8, 1926	Henry Lee Higginson Betty Bird	Lincoln Brookline
June 16, 1926	Nolan Randolph Flagg May Reita Kelley	Lincoln Amherst
June 27, 1926	John P. Boyce Elizabeth Charboneau	Lincoln Waltham
Aug. 21, 1926	Albert S. Brooks Maud Mae Mandigo	Lincoln Lincoln
Sept. 2, 1926	John M. Reiss Claire Emma Campbell	Lincoln Lexington
Sept. 28, 1926	Frank DiBari Clara C. Boudreau	Lincoln Lincoln
Oct. 6, 1926	George C. Whiting Marion Emily Robus	Lexington Lincoln
Nov. 3, 1926	James K. Gould Laura L. Reynolds	Lincoln Waltham
Nov. 15, 1926	William B. Delory Mary J. McCall	Lincoln Lincoln
Dec. 7, 1926	Herbert Barthel Frieda Reimann	Lincoln Germany

Births Registered

Date of Birth	Name	Names of Parents
Oct. 29, 1925	Still Born Infant MacRae	Rothwell and Ruth (Ready)
Dec. 26, 1925	William David Mort	William D. and Catherine T. (Lynch)
June 19, 1925	Jean Ellen Pierce	Harry W. and Mary (Purdy)
Feb. 12, 1926	Isabel Hogg	John M. and Mary Jane (Mitchell)
Aug. 18, 1926	Barbara Elizabeth Bean	Elmer A. and Muriel M. (Wildes)
July 3, 1926	Antonio Catore	Angelo and Maria (Guiseppe)
July 12, 1926	Caroline Bessie Russell	Walter H. and Elsie S. (Anders)
June 26, 1926	Isobel Chavres	John and Mary (Silva)
July 21, 1926	Audry Elizabeth Gutterson	Norman B. and Theresa (Pope)
Aug. 27, 1926	Shirley Anna Giles	Thomas T. and Stella (Campbell)
Oct. 27, 1926	Richard Alvan Maker	Jasper Young and Bertha (Haynes)
Oct. 30, 1926	Manuel Silva	Manuel and Ethelosmia (Peoria)
Apr. 28, 1926	Lora Josephine Shaw	Theron B. and Helen M. (Stymiest)
Aug. 19, 1926	Francis Marie Pearl	Leland and Annie (Kearney)
Sept. 10, 1926	Eva Adelle Langille	Waldo V. and Eva M. (Rollins)
Dec. 15, 1926	Elizabeth Anne Coan	Thomas F. and Anna (Crowley)
Dec. 20, 1926	Kenneth Rudolf MacLeod	Edward J. and Hesther (Massey)
Feb. 24, 1926	Helen Irene Pike	Richard G. and Helen H. (Peirce)
May 19, 1926	Marjorie Pike	Carroll H. and Anna H. (Peirce)
May 23, 1926	Madelyn Lorraine Cousins	Willis N. and Madelyn (Millet)
June 4, 1926	Carolyn Genevieve Seitter	Carl C. and Mildred (Kallstred)
June 16, 1926	Anne Beverly Cousins	Ashley B. and Catherine (Murray)
Aug. 14, 1926	Still Born Infant Coane	John H., Jr., and Amelia M. (Panther)
Aug. 16, 1926	Martha Eleanor Gregory	LeRoy H. and Edna F. (Dyer)
Sept. 2, 1926	Bonna Elaine Hobbs	Edwin S. and Laura S. (Burgess)
Dec. 11, 1926	Esther Arlene Bean	Elmer A. and Muriel M. (Wildes)

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS Chap. 29 AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 1. Physicians and midwives shall, within forty-eight hours after the birth of every child in cases of which they were in charge, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the city or town in which the birth occurred a notice stating the date

and place of the birth, giving the street number, if any, the number of the ward in a city and the family name. Failure to mail or deliver the said notice shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offence. The notice required by this Section need not be given if the notice required by the following Section is given within forty-eight hours after the birth occurs.

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the City or Town, in which such child is born.

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Deaths Registered

Date of Death	Name	Age		
		Y.	M.	D.
Feb. 7, 1926	Mary Wyman Wood	92	11	4
Jan. 25, 1926	Burt W. Pearson	47	3	6
Mar. 3, 1926	Corneila S. Ward	79	9	19
Mar. 1, 1926	Edith Estelle Haskell	68	3	1
May 12, 1926	Ethel M. Wilson	25	5	9
June 30, 1926	Harriet E. Davis	76	7	24
July 14, 1926	Louis Henry Whitney	80	11	24
Aug. 11, 1926	George M. Johnson	46	8	0
Aug. 12, 1926	Adella Langille	15	6	19
Aug. 14, 1926	Infant Coane	0	0	0
Sept. 12, 1926	Charles L. DeNormandie	55		
Aug. 23, 1926	Elsie A. Davis	66	2	2
Sept. 30, 1926	Albert Eugene Seeckts	16		
Oct. 5, 1926	Mary Butcher	79	8	27
Oct. 15, 1926	James Knox	87	2	20
Oct. 21, 1926	Elsie Pierce	60	3	23
Nov. 23, 1926	Patrick S. Tulis	70	8	6
Dec. 6, 1926	Ruth C. Dinsmore	91	5	0
Dec. 25, 1926	LeRoy H. Gregory	38	8	14

JURY LIST FOR 1926

As prepared by the Selectmen of Lincoln

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Adams, John	Lincoln	Treasurer
Bowen, David	Lincoln	Clerk
Bowman, Robert A.	South Lincoln	Salesman
Coburn, Edward S.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Codman, Hugh	Lincoln	Retired
Cousins, Harold S.	Lincoln	Farmer
Crook, Russel G.	South Lincoln	Sculptor
Davis, E. Russell	South Lincoln	Clerk
Dean, Clarence H.	Lincoln	Carpenter
Dee, Thomas J.	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
DeNormandie, William J.	Lincoln	Farmer
Doherty, Anthony J.	Lincoln	Lawyer
Farrar, John F.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Flint, Edward F.	Lincoln	Farmer
Giles, Thomas L.	South Lincoln	Town Clerk
Hartwell, J. Redman	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
Higginson, Henry L.	Lincoln	Farmer
Hill, Irving S.	Lincoln	Insurance
Johnson, Walter W.	Lincoln	Farmer
Lunt, Byron	Lincoln	Farmer
McHugh, John E.	Concord, R. D.	Farmer
Nelson, John W.	Lincoln	Farmer
Robus, William C.	Lincoln	Tel. Repairman
Tarbell, George G.	Lincoln	Farmer
Warner, Henry	South Lincoln	Student
Wheeler, C. Edgar	Lincoln	Farmer

Licenses issued in 1926

There have been 109 Dog Licenses issued to December 31, 1926—74 males, 26 females, 8 spayed females and 1 Kennel License—for which the County Treasurer has been paid \$322.20.

There have been 48 Resident Citizen's Sporting Licenses issued, 1 Resident Citizen's Trapping License, 3 Minor Trappers Licenses and 1 Duplicate License for the year 1926, for which the sum of \$100.50 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1926:

The Board was organized by the choice of Charles S. Smith, chairman, and R. D. Donaldson, secretary.

Appointments

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Forest Warden and Moth Superintendent, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, Martin M. Welch.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, Winslow A. Eaton, J. Redmond Hartwell, Isaac Langille, William M. Hilliard, Henry Warner.

District Nurse Committee, George G. Tarbell, Robert D. Donaldson, Mrs. Edith B. Farrar.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1926 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1926	The Selectmen recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year
For Schools	\$32,500.00	\$34,500.00
Support of Poor	1,000.00	1,000.00
Highways and Bridges	14,000.00	15,000.00
		and receipts
South Great Road (taken from money in Treasury)	7,500.00	7,500.00
Library and Dog Tax	1,000.00	1,000.00
Cemeteries (from Cemetery Fund)	500.00	500.00
For purchase of additional land for Cemetery	500.00	500.00
Board of Health	500.00	500.00
Tree Warden	1,200.00	1,000.00
Moth Work		500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses, includ- ing Police Expenses	7,500.00	8,500.00
Hydrants and other Water Service	2,500.00	2,400.00
Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400.00	400.00
Street Lights	1,800.00	1,800.00
District Nurse	750.00	750.00
Fire Department	9,000.00	1,000.00
Middlesex Extension Service	200.00	200.00
Snow Work	4,000.00	
Water Bonds	500.00	500.00

Following the policy which has been in operation for several years, the re-building of what is known as the South Great Road, another section of this road has been constructed during the past year, which completes the road from the Concord to the Weston line, also a section of the Concord-Wayland road from a point near the house of Mrs. Bunker to Wheeler's Corner, so-called, at the intersection of the South Great Road, at a cost as reported by the Superintendent of Streets. This cost is divided equally between the State, the County and the Town, total expenditure to date, for roads in So. Lincoln is approximately \$147,000.

It is expected that joint work, with a division of expense, will be continued the coming year on the extension of the Concord-Wayland road from Wheeler's Corner to the Wayland line.

The Selectmen, in consultation with the Superintendent of Streets, decided late in the season that it was necessary and expedient for the Highway Department to have a new truck, which was accordingly purchased at a cost to the Town of \$4,800.00. This was equipment which was vital and necessary for the carrying on of the Highway work, especially in keeping the roads free from snow for automobile traffic. When the appropriations were made last year there was a doubt about receiving any sums from the State in connection with Highway work, exclusive of that received on account of special work on main highways. Heretofore the Town had received various sums, approximately \$3,000.00, which was designated "State aid" and was designed to be used in connection with the general highways of the Town. Eventually, however, the Town received on this account \$4,000.00; therefore, the Town had on account of appropriations for Highway work ample funds in the Treasury to meet the cost of the new truck. However, the truck was not delivered until early in Janu-

ary and the proportionate part of the same appropriation as made by the Town the previous year was available for highway purposes.

During the year the Selectmen received information that the car used by the District Nurse, which had heretofore been provided and maintained by the Red Cross Society, was in bad condition, it not being economical to run it any longer, and that the Red Cross Society was not in financial condition to replace the car. However, the Red Cross Society offered to turn in the old car for whatever might be allowed toward the purchase of a new car and to contribute \$100.00 in cash if the Selectmen could see their way clear to provide a new car. After due consideration the exchange was made at a net cost to the Town of \$305.00 which was charged to "Miscellaneous Account."

During the year the State Department of Corporations and Taxations has made a complete audit of the books of accounts of the Selectmen, the Town Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, Treasurer of Commissioners of Sinking Fund and Trust Funds, and has found all the finances of the Town correct and all the securities intact.

STONE QUARRY.—The Selectmen have been approached many times during the past year with a request for a license for a stone quarry in the south part of the Town near the house of Mr. Woodhull, which request has been refused. The Selectmen feel that the establishment of a stone quarry in this location would be detrimental to the best interests of the Town.

The Selectmen have also received several applications under Section 1 of Chapter 299 of the Acts of 1926, which is an act requiring a license for so-called roadside stands having music and a hall for dancing. The Selectmen do not understand that a license is required by the State for

an ordinary roadside stand where soft drinks and food products are sold, but for roadside stands with music and dancing a license is not only required from the Selectmen, but must also be approved by the Commissioner of Public Safety of the State. The Selectmen have granted no licenses and think it unwise and not for the best interests of the Town that licenses for this kind of entertainment should be granted.

The Committee, appointed at the last Town Meeting to investigate the question of additional school facilities, reported to the Selectmen that in their opinion it was advisable to expend a certain amount of money to make definite repairs and improvements in connection with the South Schoolhouse. The Selectmen, during the summer vacation, carried out the suggestions of the Committee and expended in connection with such repairs and improvements to the South Schoolhouse \$1,452.40. Apparently this school building is in as good condition as when it was first constructed nearly thirty years ago and it will continue so for many years to come.

MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.—The Legislature of 1926 passed the following resolve:

“Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to inquire into the subject matter of current senate document number eighty-four, relative to the construction as a State Highway of so much of the route of the advance and retreat of the British troops between Lexington and Concord, April nineteenth, seventeen hundred and seventy-five, as does not now constitute a state highway, and the taking of adjoining territory for the purpose of preserving the physical aspects of sites made memorable by the events of said advance and retreat by the establishment of a state reservation, said new state highway and

reservation to constitute a memorial to the sacrifices and sufferings of the men and women of Massachusetts whose courage and devotion initiated in this Commonwealth the war of the American Revolution. The department shall report its conclusions and recommendations to the next annual session of the general court by filing the same with the clerk of the senate not later than December first in the current year, accompanied by plans, estimates of cost, and drafts of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to its recommendations, and shall at the same time file a copy thereof with the budget commissioner."

In accordance with such resolve the Department of Public Works has written a report, the important part of which to the Town of Lincoln is as follows:

"The creation of any sort of a public reservation in this locality would result in particular benefits to the towns of Lexington, Concord and Lincoln. The department, therefore, is of the opinion that if, in the towns directly concerned, there is sufficient interest in the situation to demand the preservation of these sites, the project should be financed and especially controlled by the local authorities, if it is to be carried out in a manner that will meet the historical requirements of the events to be perpetuated."

The Public Works Department has also suggested that an article be inserted in the Town Warrant as follows:

"To see if the Town will indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against any and all claims for land, grade and drainage damages which may be caused by or result from the laying out and construction of a state highway on the British Trail, so called, in Lincoln, and will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sign an indem-

nity agreement therefor in behalf of the Town, or take any other action with respect thereto."

and suggested a vote as follows:

"Voted, That the Town will indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against any and all claims for land, grade and drainage damages which may be caused by or result from the laying out and construction of a state highway on the British Trail, so called, in Lincoln, and that the Board of Selectmen may be authorized to sign an indemnity agreement therefor in behalf of the Town indemnifying the Commonwealth as aforesaid."

The Selectmen are decidedly of the opinion that the Town of Lincoln does not wish to embark either now or at any future time on such a project, the expense of which would probably be a very large amount of money and unanimously recommend that the Town take no action in regard to this matter. It is proper to report that the Selectmen have received a communication from the Town of Lexington, in which they state, "The Board of Selectmen take this opportunity to inform you that they are not in favor of spending any money this year on this project."

A communication was received on November 19, 1926, from the Executors and Trustees under the will of the late John H. Pierce as follows:

"Under the will of the late John H. Pierce of Lincoln, the inhabitants of Lincoln have an interest in the mansion house and lands about it and otherwise as stated in the extract of the will which I quote as follows:

'Upon the decease of my said daughter, Elsie Pierce, I give, devise and bequeath my farm and house in said Lincoln to the INHABITANTS OF LINCOLN, and in addition thereto, an annual income of three thousand

(3,000) dollars for the maintenance of the same, the same to be used for a Hospital and Park for the use and enjoyment of the inhabitants of Lincoln forever. A sum requisite in the judgment of my said trustees to produce said annual income of three thousand dollars is to be reserved by my said trustees and their successors out of the principal of my estate and invested by them in accordance with the rules laid down in this will, and the income paid to the inhabitants of Lincoln in equal quarterly payments forever'.

"Miss Elsie Pierce, who had a life estate in the property, having recently deceased, the clause of the will concerning this property in favor of the Town of Lincoln becomes operative, and it is important that the inhabitants of Lincoln should decide whether or not they will accept the bequests. I inclose copies of portions of the will of Miss Elsie Pierce which refer to the same matter, but which apparently it will not be necessary for the Town to act upon at this date as the property is given for other purposes during the lives of two parties. I see no objection, however, to the acceptance of the provisions of Elsie Pierce's will by the Town if it shall so vote at this time, although they will not become operative in its favor until the expiration of two life estates. The executors suggest that it would be wise for the inhabitants of Lincoln to have a Town Meeting at an early date and decide what action the Town will take in regard to the acceptance of the benefactions contained in said wills."

Following are the extracts from the will of his daughter, Miss Elsie Pierce, who passed away in the latter part of the year 1926:

"WHEREAS under the terms of the will of my father, John H. Pierce of said Lincoln, I am empowered to dispose of the sum of fifty thousand dollars out of the sum

left in trust under said will, NOW THEREFORE in the exercise of said power. I request the trustees named under said will to pay over the said sum of fifty thousand dollars as follows:

The remaining twenty-five thousand dollars of said fifty thousand dollars I give and bequeath unto ALONZO P. WEEKS of Winchester, and ELIHU G. LOOMIS of Bedford, both in said County of Middlesex, and their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, but IN TRUST, NEVERTHELESS, and for the uses and purposes following, that is to say,—

To invest the same in good and productive real estate and personal securities, having more regard to the security of the principal than to the amount of income to be derived therefrom;

To reinvest the proceeds thereof in good and productive securities upon the same trusts as herein stated;

To expend the net income thereof as follows:

To pay to my brother, ROBERT MORRIS PIERCE and his wife, GRACE DORR PIERCE, and the survivor of them the whole of said income in quarterly payments for and during the term of the natural lives of them and of the survivor of them, the same not to be in any way subject to their debts or to the debts of either of them; granting to my said trustees authority in their discretion to pay said income to my brother and his wife personally or to expend the same for their maintenance and support during their joint lives and the life of the survivor of them.

Upon the decease of the last survivor of my said brother and his wife to pay the annual income of said twenty-five thousand dollars to the INHABITANTS OF LINCOLN in quarterly payments forever, the same to

be expended in connection with the bequest made by my father in his will for the maintenance and preservation of a hospital and park for the use and enjoyment of the inhabitants of Lincoln forever."

The proper article for action in connection with these communications is in the Warrant.

Finances

The Sinking Fund Commissioners' report indicates that there is a balance of \$2,813.99 in the fund for the retirement of schoolhouse bonds in excess of the amount necessary to liquidate the outstanding bonds.

The financial condition of the Town as of January 1, 1927, is as follows:

The outstanding bonded indebtedness on account of the Water Works, as reported by the Treasurer, is \$60,500.00; there is available in the Sinking Fund, to retire the bonds at maturity, securities and cash of the value of \$43,099.92; this, together with the reported uncollected water bills and current cash on hand of \$17,780.68, makes a total of \$60,880.60 or \$380.60 in excess of the amount required to liquidate the entire indebtedness of the Water Department.

The Treasurer's report shows the balance in the treasury on January 1, 1927, of \$10,231.72 with special fund of \$628.03. The Collector reports uncollected taxes on January 1, 1927, of \$9,089.93. This makes available for the treasury, on account of balance in the treasury and uncollected taxes, \$19,949.68, to which should be added the excess cash in the hands of the Sinking Fund Commissioners of \$2,813.79, or a total of \$22,763.47. Considering that there was appropriated at the last Annual Meeting \$16,000 to be taken from the available money in the treasury, the

amount remaining in the treasury of \$22,763.47 is extremely satisfactory.

The business of the Town, as it has been conducted by the various officers and departments of the Town, is embodied in their printed reports.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH
ROBERT D. DONALDSON
C. LEE TODD,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

Contagious diseases reported during the year 1926:

Suppurative Coryunctivitis	10
Chicken Pox	20
Measles	17
German Measles	1
Lobar Pneumonia	3
Scarlet Fever	3
Whooping Cough	29
Typhoid Fever	27

MARTIN M. WELCH
GEORGE G. TARBELL
ROBERT D. DONALDSON.

REPORT OF LINCOLN PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE COMMITTEE

To the Board of Selectmen:—

It is always a pleasant task for the one who writes this report to record with appreciation the numerous favors received during the year by the nursing project. As usual we have to thank the Red Cross for continued assistance in the matter of the nurse's car, and Doherty Garage for many services rendered at a minimum of expense to the Town. Several pieces of new equipment have been donated, notably a pair of baby scales, which have already proved of definite value in infant welfare work. At this point, too, an opportunity is afforded to express publicly, on behalf of those of us associated with Miss Rudolf, our gratification for the manner in which she has performed her duties, particularly during the recent epidemic.

In the section of the Town Report devoted to schools will be found detailed description of the work of the nurse with the school children. The district work has shown an increase which is gratifying because it denotes an increase in understanding of what nursing service can do and an increase in willingness to make use of its benefits. The total number of district calls made during 1926 is 874, which are classified as 384 medical, 292 surgical, 179 obstetric and 19 child welfare. All this is in addition to school work and follow-up work, and to the work incident to dental, under-weight, and pre-school clinics, and to the 41 days spent in Sudbury.

The expenses of this department have been kept, as has always been the case, since the beginning of the nursing service in 1921, below the annual estimate. The appropri-

ation of \$750.00, plus \$400.00 from schools, plus the receipts from Sudbury, have covered the nurse's salary. The income from fees has more than paid for the expenses of operating the car and for necessary supplies. The sum of \$170.00 is still due from Sudbury on the 1926 account. The total amount of fees earned by the nurse during 1926 is \$434.75. The expense incurred for supplies and for operating car during same period is \$281.37. The Town Treasurer's report and the Auditor's report give the amounts which have been actually expended or received during the fiscal year.

Two features of the year's work deserve a word of explanation,—insurance nursing, so-called, and the taking over by the Town of the Nurse's car. The Red Cross offered to turn over to the Town the old car, and contribute \$100.00 additional, if the Town would release them from further responsibility. This proposition was accepted by the Selectmen, a new Ford coupe was purchased, and now the Town owns the nurse's car. The insurance nursing is work done for holders of a certain class of policy in either the John Hancock or Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. This service is paid for by these companies and has earned the sum of \$170.00 during the year. The Lincoln nurse is under contract to work for these companies in the Town of Weston. This, of course, does not mean that we are doing district work in Weston.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH B. FARRAR.

For the Committee.

REPORT OF THE WORK DONE BY THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE IN THE TOWN OF LINCOLN, FOR THE YEAR 1926

An appropriation of \$200.00 was made at the annual meeting in support of the Middlesex County Extension Service, through the County Board of Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture. The following is an account of the work done by this organization in Lincoln for the year 1926:

In agriculture the principal work developed has been with those farmers interested in dairying and fruit. A total of seventy-three farm visits were made to those who requested individual farm service. A dairy meeting was held at which time the value of home-grown feeds was discussed. An alfalfa meeting was also held where the success of this crop locally was observed, and information given on the proper methods to follow in growing the crop. Soil was tested on several farms and information given relative to the seeding of alfalfa. Six farmers are receiving monthly visits from the cow test agent for the purpose of keeping accurate milk production figures and feed costs. Exhibits were put on at the local fair, and judges furnished.

In the boys and girls 4-H club activities work was carried on in food, clothing, garden, and handicraft clubs. Forty-four boys and girls were enrolled under the local supervision of Miss Myrtle Eliot, Miss Marion Parker, and Mr. Robbins. Harriet Robus and Charles Lennon were

awarded a two-day trip to the Massachusetts Agricultural College for doing outstanding club work. An achievement club meeting was put on in the spring at which time the boys and girls exhibited the work they had done during the winter. Club members in this Town were in competition with 3,960 boys and girls in Middlesex County.

Seven motion picture shows were given during the year to a total attendance of 1,059.

In addition to local meetings held, several county-wide meetings were conducted, such as the County Picnic at the Market Garden Field Station, the annual meeting of the Extension Service at Waltham, and sectional meetings of fruit growers and poultrymen. These were attended by many Lincoln people.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN T. WHEELER,

Director.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1926:

During the month of January very little snow fell, so the men worked on the road near the Storrow farm widening the curves.

In February there were two heavy snowstorms very close together, which made a lot of snow shoveling necessary, and kept the teams and men busy most of the time until April.

During this month the back roads were scraped and the hard surfaced roads patched.

In May and June this department put oil and tarvia on most of the roads in town, and teamed sand to cover the same.

In July work was started on the South Great Road and completed in September.

During September and October we worked on the Concord and Wayland road, starting near Mrs. Bunker's property.

In November we patched the roads again, cleaned out the gutters on the hills, and built about six hundred (600) feet of guard rail fence near Mr. Higginson's property.

I have bought two thousand (2,000) feet of snow fence, to put up where the snow drifts in most, in different parts of the Town, and what we have erected has been very satisfactory. I think it would be well to get more of this fencing, as there are places where it could be used to advantage.

The amount expended for maintenance this year was approximately as follows:

Hay, grain and straw	\$1,260	
Supplies	8,660	
Repairs, shoeing, etc.	1,775	
Snow work	4,325	
Rent, water and light	475	
Supt.'s salary, labor, etc.	5,700	
Total	<hr/>	\$22,195
Amt. of credits due the Highway Dept.		6,580
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Total spent for maintenance of highways \$15,615

The amount spent for State, County and Town road is approximately as follows:

Labor, etc.	\$4,385	
Supplies	13,400	
Truck	1,200	
Sand and gravel	360	
Coal and wood	175	
Teams	2,665	
	<hr/>	\$22,185

The condition of the Highway Department is about the same as last year, the property consisting of six (6) horses, four (4) sets of double harness, two (2) single harnesses, five (5) double carts, one (1) single cart, one (1) two-horse

wagon, one (1) oil spraying wagon, three (3) sleds, fifteen (15) horse snow plows, and one (1) truck snow plow; all in fairly good condition.

The condition of the Packard truck, which has been loaned to the Town by the Commonwealth for several years, had become so worn that it could not be depended upon unless the Town expended a very large amount of money in repairing it. It was practically useless as far as snow removal from the highways was concerned. After consultation with the Selectmen and investigation of the best make and type of truck to purchase, it was decided that it was advisable for the Town to purchase and own a White 3½-ton truck. The snow plow which the Town had was easily attached to this truck. The cost to the Town was \$4,800.00.

The guideboards are in good condition. Some new ones have been put up, but there are some that will have to be repainted this year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
Superintendent of Streets.

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Outstanding Bonds January 1, 1927

Issue of 1900 due 1930 $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D.....	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupons $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S.....	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd $3\frac{1}{2}$'s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & N.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 Serial Coupon 4s, M. & S. (\$500 due each year)	500.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Reg'd 4s, M. & S (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	4,000.00
	\$60,500.00

REPORT OF THE WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners respectfully submit the following report:—

During the past year both pumps were thoroughly overhauled by an expert and are now running in good order. All the woodwork on the pumping station and gate house was painted. The broken floor of the old boiler room was cemented, making a much neater storage space.

Three leaks broke out in the old cement pipe on Station Road, causing the customers some inconvenience; otherwise the pipe system has given no trouble.

An extension of 200 ft. of two-inch pipe was made beyond the Conant place in North Lincoln, and the dead end on Tower Road was connected with the main line on South Great Road by 1,650 feet of four-inch pipe.

At the beginning of the recent typhoid fever epidemic it was suggested to the Board that it was customary to fence reservoirs such as Lincoln's. The Board plans to do this, but only after the banks are put in a satisfactory condition.

The Board has paid all its routine, renewal, and extension expenses from earnings, and hopes to be able to continue this policy.

SUMNER SMITH
JOHN J. KELLIHER
ROBERT R. HUNTER.

Summary of Statistics for Year Ending December 31, 1926

PUMPING STATISTICS

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 10½" x 12", 25 H.P. motor.

Rumsey Triplex Pump, 12" x 14", 40 H.P. motor.

Power furnished by Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston.

Total water pumped for year, 89,819,000 gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station's expenses (including salaries and power), \$35.55 per million gallons.

Cost of pumping, figured on Pumping Station expenses, power, salaries, interest, repairs and renewals and depreciation, \$168.50 per million gallons pumped.

Statistics Relating to Distribution System

Mains

1. Kind of pipe used, cement lined, cast iron, wood stave, galvanized iron.
2. Sizes, 1½" to 12".
3. Extended during the year, 1,850 ft.
4. Discontinued during the year, none.
5. Total now in use, 27.571 miles.
6. Number of hydrants added during the year, 0.
7. Number of hydrants replaced, 4.
8. Number of Hydrants (public and private) now in use, 130.
9. Number of stop-gates renewed, 0. Number of stop-gates added during the year, 1.
10. Number of stop-gates now in use, 139.
11. Number of blow-offs, 30.
12. Range of pressure on mains, 40 pounds to 100 pounds.

Services

13. Kind of pipe, galvanized iron and cement lined.
14. Sizes, ¾" to 4".
15. Renewed, 14. Discontinued, 0.
16. Number of service taps added during the year, 11.
17. Number now in use, 386.
18. Average length of service, 12' +.
19. Meters now in use, 14.

WATER REPORT

PROFIT AND LOSS

Year ending December 31, 1926.

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Rates
Meter
Sundry

\$11,557.78
1,228.33
374.01

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Expense
Power
Salaries
Interest
Repairs and Renewals
Net Gain

\$ 714.75
1,859.88
625.00
2,255.00
1,704.44
6,001.05

\$13,160.12

\$13,160.12

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LIABILITIES

Bonds outstanding
Surplus

\$ 60,500.00
193,800.09

\$254,300.09

ASSETS

Construction
Sinking Fund
Water Bills uncollected
Cash on hand

\$193,419.49
43,099.92
1,953.15
15,827.53

\$254,300.09

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Lincoln, Mass., Jan. 15, 1927.

To the Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their nineteenth Annual Report ending December 31, 1926.

Force

The Fire Department consists of the following: One chief, six engineers and nineteen call men.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: One 600 gallon pump, two combination trucks, twenty-seven extinguishers, eight ladders and 2,500 feet of hose.

Location of Apparatus

Pump and No. 2 Combination Truck at Doherty's Garage and No. 3 Combination Truck at T. J. Dee's.

Fires

Fifty-five alarms have been answered. Pump and No. 2 Combination Truck, 12 chimney, 19 forest, 3 buildings and 2 auto fires.

No. 3 Combination Truck, 1 chimney, 8 forest fires.
Total loss \$8,000.

Very truly,
M. H. DOHERTY
T. J. DEE
JOHN J. KELLIHER
H. G. FARRAR
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY, JR.
HAROLD S. COUSINS.
SUMNER SMITH

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the money paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen of Lincoln.

I have visited Mr. Todd at his office and was shown all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,

Auditor.

SCHOOLS

PAYMENTS

Town Treasurer, Teachers' Salary, including	
Janitor's Services	\$15,772.56
Massachusetts Teachers Retirement Board,	
Retirement Fund	708.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Student Tickets	795.00
City of Boston, Tuition	502.68
City of Waltham, Tuition	1,822.00
City of Newton, Tuition	233.42
City of Cambridge, Tuition	110.00
Town of Concord, Tuition	1,953.20
Town of Belmont, Tuition	48.00
Doherty's Garage, Transportation of Children	4,648.78
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation of Children	1,520.00
Waltham Auto Exchange Co., Transportation	326.00
Harriet Lindsey, Transportation of Children	160.00

John O. Algeo, Transportation of Children	64.00
D. Mannarino, Transportation of Children	17.71
Squire's Express, Transportation of Children	7.20
James Lynch, Transportation of Children	35.60
A. C. Bailey, Transportation of Children	17.37
Farrington Memorial, Transportation of Children	25.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel Co., Service	67.19
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service	38.90
Henry A. Wood, M.D., Professional Services	200.00
American R. R. Express Co., Express	7.42
Gibbs Express Co., Express	1.25
Laffin Express Co., Express	.35
Lincoln Water Works, Service	75.50
Edith B. Farrar, Taking School Census	15.00
Town of Lincoln, Services of Nurse	400.00
Doherty's Garage, Delivering Supplies	23.48
Doherty's Garage, Freight	2.25
Ruth Robinson, Teaching	5.00
George E. Cunningham, Sawing Wood	17.50
A. R. McLeod, Repairs on Bell	2.20
H. C. Anderson, Repairs on Bell	3.60
Charles Woodhull, Care of Pianos	32.00
Commonwealth of Public Safety, Inspection of Boilers	4.00
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	583.57
Charles S. Smith, Coal	134.06
George G. Tarbell, Wood	63.00
N. N. Love, Expenses	4.29
J. L. Hammett & Co., Supplies	280.76
Charles M. Robinson, Supplies	114.12
Waltham Lumber Co., Supplies	90.63
W. D. Gilpatrick, Supplies	89.51
Rotary, Neostyles Supplies	67.00
Ginn & Company, Supplies	60.00

Andrews Paper Co., Supplies	52.62
Rollins Bros., Supplies	59.30
E. E. Babb & Co., Supplies	133.76
J. B. Hunter Co., Supplies	48.36
Charles Scribner & Co., Supplies	43.84
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	35.80
Houghton Mifflin Co., Supplies	34.68
Masonry-Young Co., Supplies	31.68
Teachers College, Supplies	29.21
J. W. Brine Co., Supplies	31.43
Badger Fire Extinguishing Co., Supplies	30.59
The MacMillan Co., Supplies	28.87
Langille Bros., Supplies	24.23
I. N. MacRae, Inc., Supplies	23.23
C. E. Merrill Co., Supplies	16.32
H. S. Howe & Co., Supplies	15.76
Dorothy Rudolf, Supplies	15.87
American Book Co., Supplies	15.50
World Book Co., Supplies	23.70
Reformatory for Women, Supplies	15.05
Milton Bradley Co., Supplies	15.53
Middlesex Co., Supplies	15.09
Fuller Brush Co., Supplies	13.50
Marion Parker, Supplies	13.32
Wright & Potter, Supplies	10.75
Current Events, Supplies	9.00
Hall & McCreary Co., Supplies	5.47
Webster Publishing Co., Supplies	6.98
Scott Foreman Co., Supplies	3.16
C. S. Cobb Co., Supplies	3.11
Kawax-Rand Sales Co., Supplies	2.62
Silver-Burdett Co., Supplies	2.22
The Invoice, Supplies	2.37
Chandler & Barber, Supplies	1.06

Wellesley Press Co., Supplies

1.00

 \$31,964.19

 HIGHWAY SPECIAL

 PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor on Highway	\$648.00
George Monilla, Labor	452.00
Timothy J. Crowley	436.00
Thomas F. Coan	434.00
John W. Rooney	430.00
Joseph E. Mahan	422.00
William H. Ryan	426.00
Raymond Tucker	552.00
Martin J. Rooney	216.00
John F. Farrar	176.00
James Corrigan	72.00
Francis Corrigan	40.00
John W. Rooney, 2nd	54.00
Duncan Chapman	12.00
Geo. E. Hunter	14.35
George Brown	12.00
J. Moynihan	20.00
Joseph Gilbert	8.00
Herbert Sherman, Wood	10.00
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	143.48
Lincoln Highway Dept., Trucking	1,200.00
Lincoln Highway Dept., Labor of Horses	3,377.00
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Supplies	1,859.78
Standard Oil Co.	2,274.00

Barker Asphalt Co.	1,330.00
Berger Mfg. Co.	133.20
Wilson Lumber Co.	12.92
General Crushed Stone, Trucking	7,067.66
Lincoln Highway Dept., Sand and Gravel	350.00
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	\$22,182.39

HIGHWAY STATE AID

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor on Highway	\$432.00
Lincoln Highway Dept., Labor of Horses	1,111.50
Standard Oil Company, Supplies	2,655.09
The Barrett Mfg. Co.	2,125.70
General Crushed Stone Co.	1,105.35
South Lincoln Garage	115.26
Doherty Garage	91.40
Lexington Lumber Co.	83.00
Berger Mfg. Co.	60.00
Mrs. John Morrissey, Sand	26.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	284.00
William H. Ryan	281.00
Joseph Mahan	277.00
John W. Rooney	277.00
George Monilla	253.00
Timothy J. Crowley	257.00
Martin J. Rooney	68.00
Raymond Tucker	48.00
Michael Connors	44.00
Charles Hews	25.60

John F. Farrar	24.00
Kidder Bros.	7.50
George Rooney	12.00

\$9,663.40

HIGHWAY

PAYMENTS

William Sherman, Supt. of Labor	\$792.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	524.00
William H. Ryan	520.00
George Monilla	508.00
John W. Rooney	516.00
Joseph E. Mahan	476.00
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	344.00
John F. Farrar	44.00
Martin J. Rooney	78.00
Andrew Doherty	96.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Labor on Snow	432.50
George C. Hunter	344.00
George E. Cunningham	117.65
Herbert G. Farrar	152.00
William J. Porter	306.93
George Browning	32.00
Martin Coan	48.00
William B. Riley	94.00
James Coan	36.00
James Ryan	82.00
T. A. Calkins	81.00
D. E. Sherman	62.00
John Buckley	53.00
Hector McLean	28.00
John Coan	26.00

Boyce Bros.	28.00
William Bowles	22.00
L. F. Bunker, Labor on Snow	22.00
H. S. Dean	22.00
Frank Gustin	20.00
Morris Bailey	22.50
Robert Cain	8.00
F. A. Porter	22.00
M. Boyce	10.00
Leo Corrigan	14.00
Joseph Lennon	20.00
Bernard Lennon	16.00
William Burgess	54.00
Merrill Hunt	14.00
W. E. Watson	12.00
Harold Kafford	10.00
Rooney, Chef.	8.00
Howard MacClair	4.00
E. S. Bunker	11.50
Arnold McLean	10.00
Giles Bros.	10.00
Alex Chapman	4.00
Duncan Chapman	4.00
Jack Penketh, Labor on Snow	12.00
George Rooney	12.00
Joseph Campabasso	12.00
John W. Rooney, 2nd	16.00
Leo Starrett	8.00
Joseph Gilbert	8.00
George Hersey	13.00
Malcolm Graf.	15.00
J. M. Sousa	100.85
James Neville	12.00
James Diamond	18.00
Michael Diamond	8.00

Jay M. Heald	6.50
Thomas Diamond	14.00
John O'Leary	30.00
John Cook	12.00
Lester Pearson	54.00
Henry Neville	32.00
Joseph Forges	18.00
Ralph Butcher	114.75
Elmer Bean	10.00
A. S. Brooks, Labor on Snow	18.00
E. R. Wheeler	28.00
W. J. Buskins	101.25
Robert B. Hunter	73.00
John Wilson	89.25
John McHugh	114.75
Michael Connors	12.00
Concord Ice Company	1.00
General Trucking Co., Trucking	276.47
The Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	380.80
Klaus Bros.	504.54
Doherty Garage	300.87
B. W. Brown Grain Co.	595.50
Burgess Garage	261.72
Dyers Sales & Machine Co.	251.30
New Eng. Road & Machine Co.	278.18
Wilson Lumber Co.	69.00
Lexington Lumber Co.	24.70
Peter Perry	66.40
South Lincoln Garage	156.20
Henry A. Grimwood	87.05
Waltham Packard Co., Supplies	9.85
B. W. Pike	17.00
Rollins Bros.	11.35
Packard Motor Co.	7.86
R. B. McKinn Co.	12.35

Mass. Broken Stone Co.	91.65
William H. Sherman	7.50
Berger Mfg. Co.	40.32
Rice's Garage	13.40
McCone Bros.	5.90
C. Clark	6.20
Wood Hydraulic Hoist & Bldg. Co.	9.76
Austin Haley, 2 Horses	350.00
Lincoln Water Works, Water	12.00
Thomas L. Giles, Making and Painting Signs	4.50
C. S. Smith, Rent of Stable	400.00
Thomas F. Coan, Care of Town Horses	360.00
D. M. Cleary, Rent of Land	25.00
Daniel MacAskell, Shoeing and Repairing	378.80
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	25.46
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service	15.83
William H. Sherman, Hay	350.00
I. N. Mac Rae, Inc., Labor and Supplies	1.68
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	\$12,533.57

WATER

PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Power and Light	\$1,859.88
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	30.97
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Mch. 1	470.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Mch. 1	35.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due May 1	87.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due June 1	175.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	117.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept.	387.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Nov. 1	87.50

First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Dec. 1	175.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Coupons due March 1	132.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest on \$13,000	227.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Coupons due Sept. 1	132.50
First Nat'l Bank, Bond due Sept. 1	500.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest due Dec. 1	
Reg'd Bonds	227.50
Doherty Garage, Supplies	6.00
Wadsworth Howland Co.	33.05
F. A. Handlette & Son, Supplies	1,030.44
George S. Kismen	493.19
A. M. Byers	141.02
Chadwick-Boston Lead Co.	64.59
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.	13.15
Buck Printing Co.	27.50
Standard Oil Co.	17.35
Rumsey Pump Co.	5.60
Wilson Lumber Co.	17.00
Garlock Packing Co.	15.86
Red Hed Mfg. Co.	114.49
Rollins Bros.	5.21
Walworth Mfg. Co.	20.74
Eddy Valve Co.	40.32
L. C. Robinson, Reading Meters	20.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	170.44
P. E. Cull, 1 Load Sand	1.00
William B. Riley, Painting Pumping Station	125.00
Herbert Neally, Painting Signs	32.00
Calvin W. Childs, Balance on Ford Car	301.00
American R. R. Express Co., Express	1.69
John J. Kelliher, Services as Supt. and Engineer	475.00
Robert B. Hunter, Services as Water Comm'r	75.00
Sumner Smith, Services as Water Comm'r	75.00
Ashley B. Cousins, Labor	372.00
Fred Tyler	336.00

John McCusker	2,318.25
Patrick Mansfield	36.00
P. J. Lennon	2.00
Walter Hallett	2.00
Geo. E. Hunter	2.00
Daniel MacAskill	1.25
George E. Cunningham	5.00
Walter Barthel	5.00
Michael Connors	4.00
John Gilbert	8.00
Peter Christiansen	4.00
Sumner Smith, Oak Lumber	8.82
I. N. Mac Rae, Labor and Supplies	257.77
Langille Bros., Labor and Supplies	8.98
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	\$11,338.56

MISCELLANEOUS

PAYMENTS

Edward Bannon, Care of Public Buildings	\$720.00
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services of Light—Hall	85.54
New Eng. Tel. & Tel Co., Services of Telephone	101.40
American Express Co., Express	3.42
Martin M. Welch, Inspecting Cattle	58.50
Irving S. Hill, Insurance Bond	150.00
Lincoln Water Works, Water Service	50.00
Charles E. Woodhull, Care of Pianos	35.50
Doherty Garage, Supplies	199.86
George W. Spence	43.32
Thomas L. Giles	5.60
Lee Tire & Rubber Co.	15.00
Rollins Bros.	4.81

Thomas Groom & Co.	15.15
Carter Ink Co.	2.50
American Gas Co.	478.00
Maynard Coal Co., 39,200 lbs. Coal @ 8.10	158.76
Maynard Coal Co., 57,125 lbs. Coal @ 15.00	395.30
Maynard Coal Co., 16,050 lbs. Coal @ 7.95	56.96
Maynard Coal Co., 20,550 lbs. Coal @ 15.85	145.41
Maynard Coal Co., 10,000 lbs. Coal @ 15.50	69.20
John J. Kelliher, Services as Constable, 1926	1,300.00
Isaac Langille, Services as Constable, 1925	69.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Special Police, 1926	25.00
Thomas L. Giles, Services as Town Clerk	200.00
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Taxes, 1925	714.38
W. H. Sherman, Services as Assessor	125.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services as Assessor	100.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Assessor	150.00
George G. Tarbell, Services as Town Treasurer	300.00
C. Lee Todd, Services as Selectman and Overseer	200.00
R. D. Donaldson, Services as Selectman and Overseer	200.00
C. S. Smith, Services as Selectman and Overseer	200.00
C. S. Smith, Soft Coal @ 8.25	18.35
J. S. Smith, Postage	3.75
James W. Lennon, Services as Town Auditor	125.00
James E. Baker, Abatement of Taxes	20.00
Edward Ryan, Abatement of Taxes	16.00
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	605.35
Minute-Man Press, Printing	34.85
Wakefield Daily Items, Printing	4.25
P. B. Murphy, Printing	3.10
Waltham Publishing Co., Printing	3.50
Dept. Corp. and Tax'n, Town Note	2.00
Charles Robinson, Services at Election and Primaries	5.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services at Election and Primaries	5.00

Thomas J. Dee, Services at Election and Primaries	15.00
Mrs. Frederick Bodley, Services at Elections	10.00
Malcolm Donaldson, Services at Primaries	5.00
C. Lee Todd, Jr., Services at Primaries	5.00
George G. Tarbell, Services at Elec. and Primaries	15.00
May Dougherty, Services at Primary	8.00
Edmund Giles, Services at Election	10.00
R. D. Donaldson, Jr., Services at Election	10.00
J. W. Milbury, Labor	5.50
R. D. Donaldson, Labor at Center School	377.99
R. D. Donaldson, Labor at South School	825.99
W. L. Crush, Labor at South School	360.00
I. N. Mac Rae, Inc., Labor and Supplies at South School	250.07
F. H. Kerwin, Labor and Supplies	17.40
Town of Concord, Labor on Boundaries	5.61
M. H. Doherty, Automobile for District Nurse	405.00
H. M. Richmond, Professional Services	6.00
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	\$9,555.32

STREET LIGHTS

PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Dec., 1925	\$164.84
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Jan., 1926	161.12
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Feb.	150.05
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for March	149.73
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for April	142.19
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for May	136.78
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for June	133.25
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for July	134.16
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for August	139.63

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Sept.	148.07
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services of Oct.	160.44
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services for Nov.	161.14
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	\$1,781.40

DISTRICT NURSE

PAYMENTS

Dorothy Rudolf, Services as Nurse	\$1,437.50
Dorothy Rudolf, Supplies	6.00
Doherty Garage, Supplies	236.87
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	\$1,680.37

LIBRARY

PAYMENTS

John F. Farrar, Treas., Dog Tax Returned	\$343.70
John F. Farrar, Treas., Appropriation	1,000.00
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	\$1,343.70

SUPPORT OF POOR

PAYMENTS

Dept. of Public Welfare, Care of Andrew Kilfoye	\$365.00
Dept. of Public Welfare, Care of George Hills	166.82
Town of Lincoln, Support of Patrick Craven	152.00
Town of Lincoln, Support to Martha Seekins	250.00
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	\$933.82

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

 PAYMENTS

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$400.00
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HYDRANTS AND OTHER WATER SERVICE

 PAYMENTS

Lincoln Water Works, Watering Troughs	\$572.00
Lincoln Water Works, 124 Hydrants	1,860.00
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	\$2,432.00

MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

 PAYMENTS

Middlesex Co. Extension Service, Appropriation	\$200.00
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BOARD OF HEALTH

 PAYMENTS

Joseph Gilbert, Delivering Circulars	\$5.00
John Gilbert, Delivering Circulars	5.00
Warren Sherman, Delivering Circulars	5.00
The Minute-Man Press, Printing	2.75
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	\$17.75

TREE WORK

PAYMENTS

John J. Kelliher, Supt. of Labor	\$200.00
Fred Tyler, Labor	848.00
Ashley Cousins	552.00
Charles S. Smith, Storing Sprayers, 2 yrs.	200.00
General Chemical Co., Supplies	506.90
Frost Insecticide Co.	30.00
Doherty Garage Co.	9.90
W. & L. E. Gurley	4.61

\$2,351.41

INTEREST

PAYMENTS

First Nat'l Bank, Int. Town Note	\$476.38
Lincoln Water Works, Interest—3%	145.67

\$622.05

CEMETERY

PAYMENTS

Fritz Cunnert, Labor	\$260.50
James Mosher, Labor	250.00
A. E. Martell Co., Supplies	34.55
Ames Implement Co., Supplies	32.90

Lincoln Water Works, Water Service	20.00
Horace Tuttle, Surveying	10.00

 \$607.95

FIRE DEPARTMENT

PAYMENTS

American La France Fire Engine Co., Fire Truck	\$8,500.00
American La France Fire Engine Co., Interest	111.92
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	8.25
American La France Fire Engine Co., Supplies	55.90
Merrimac Chemical Co.	9.20
Eastern Drug Co.	17.36
A. H. Blanchard	56.00
Boston Woven Hose Co.	200.00
Henry A. Grimwood	28.50
American Fire Equipment Co.	91.60
Doherty Garage, Labor, Supplies and Storage	540.91
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Engineer	25.00
Sumner Smith, Services as Engineer	25.00
H. S. Cousins	25.00
John J. Kelliher	25.00
Thomas J. Dee	25.00
M. H. Doherty	25.00
A. J. Dougherty, Services as Engineer, 2 yrs.	50.00
Thomas J. Dee, Fighting Fires and Storing Truck	110.85
Herbert G. Farrar, Fighting Fires	27.00
Sumner Smith, Fighting Fires	17.00
William C. Robus, Fighting Fires	49.60
H. S. Cousins, Fighting Fires	78.00
Carol Pike, Fighting Fires	38.00
Richard Pike, Fighting Fires	46.00
A. J. Dougherty, Fighting Fires	20.00

John Mort, Fighting Fires	15.50
Ralph Butcher, Fighting Fires	9.00
Giles Bros., Fighting Fires	9.00
P. J. Lennon, Fighting Fires	8.00
William A. Robus, Fighting Fires	29.00
Walter Hallett, Fighting Fires	5.00
Francis Corrigan, Fighting Fires	4.00
Edward Ryan, Fighting Fires	4.00
James Ryan, Fighting Fires	1.00
John Algeo, Fighting Fires	4.00
Alfred Anderson, Fighting Fires	3.00
Elmer Rollins, Fighting Fires	2.00
Waldo Langille, Fighting Fires	1.00
Nelson Bros., Fighting Fires	3.50
Hector McLean, Fighting Fires	2.50
Arnold McLean, Fighting Fires	2.50
George Hersey, Fighting Fires	1.00
Malcolm Graf, Fighting Fires	1.00
Jack Penketh, Fighting Fires	4.00
Joseph Lennon, Fighting Fires	.50
Bernard Lennon, Fighting Fires	.50
Eveleth Todd, Fighting Fires	4.00
Edward Corrigan, Fighting Fires	2.50
John J. Walters, Fighting Fires	1.50
Euroka Fire Hose Mfg. Co., Supplies	1.01

\$10,325.10

RECAPITULATION

PAYMENTS

Schools	\$31,964.19
Highway	12,533.57
Highway State Aid	9,663.40
Highway Special	22,182.39
Moth or Tree Department	2,351.41
Miscellaneous	9,555.32
Cemetery	607.95
Street Lights	1,781.40
Interest	622.05
Fire Department	10,325.10
Library	1,343.70
Support of Poor	933.82
Waltham Hospital	400.00
Middlesex Co. Extension Board	200.00
Board of Health	17.75
Hydrants and Other Water Service	2,432.00
District Nurse	1,680.37
Water	11,338.56
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Total	\$119,932.98

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

1926	Dr.	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$5,424.93
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1932.....	105.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1934.....	175.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1936.....	560.00
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4¼s due 1928.....	127.50
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4¼s due 1938.....	425.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1926.....	20.00
	Paid 500 Town of Lincoln 4s due 1926.....	500.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1927.....	20.00
	Interest on Deposit.....	242.49
		<u>\$7,599.92</u>

1926	Cr.	
Dec. 31	Balance	\$7,599.92

The Fund is invested as follows:

- \$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.
- \$3,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due September, 1932.
- \$3,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1928.
- \$10,000 U. S. Liberty 4½s of 1938.
- \$5,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due November, 1934.
- \$500 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1927.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1926	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance principal a/c	\$ 484.48
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
	Dividends, American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	36.00
	Dividends, Boston Elev. Ry. Co. 1st pfd.....	56.00
	Coupon, West. Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s.....	25.00
	Rights, 4 American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	24.68
	Interest	15.80
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		\$ 645.46

1926	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$ 136.30
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	509.16
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		\$ 645.46

The Fund is invested as follows:

- 7 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company first preferred.
- 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
- 4 shares Ameircan Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ share Boston Elevated Railway Co. second preferred.
- \$500 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s of 1932.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1926

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$325.69
	Interest	8.80
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		\$334.49
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1926

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$ 8.80
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	325.69
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		\$334.49
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The Fund is invested as follows:

2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1926

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$18.33
	Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s.....	50.00
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
	Interest90
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		\$72.73

1926

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$54.40
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	18.33
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		\$72.73

The Fund is invested as follows:

$\frac{1}{2}$ share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000. American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1926

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$35.34
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	7.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Company 5s.....	50.00
	Interest	2.20
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		\$94.54
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1926

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$59.20
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	35.34
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		\$94.54
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The Fund is invested as follows:

1 share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1926

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$29.37
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	21.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	100.00
	Interest	2.98
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		\$153.35

1926

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$123.98
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	29.37
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		\$153.35

The Fund is invested as follows:

3 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$2,000. United States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1926	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$1,300.55
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s, due 1947.....	100.00
	Interest	40.14
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		\$1,440.69

1926	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Paid on Selectmen's orders.....	\$ 40.00
	Balance on Deposit, Income Account.....	1,239.53
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	161.16
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		\$1,440.69

The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1926	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$436.47
	Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.	46.88
	Interest	13.64
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		\$496.99

1926	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Balance on Deposit.....	\$496.99

The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

1926

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$ 71.64
	Interest	2.58
	Coupon, American Tel. & Tel. 4s.....	120.00
	Coupon, Shawsheen Mills 7s.....	140.00
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		\$334.22

1926

Cr.

July 1	Balance principal a/c	\$ 8.75
	Balance income a/c	75.47
4	Fireworks	250.00
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		\$334.22

The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 Shawsheen Mills 7s of 1931.

\$3,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4s of 1929.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

FUND FOR PURCHASE OF SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS

1926

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$5,590.49
		Interest	223.30
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			\$5,813.79
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1926

Cr.

Jan.	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse bonds, January 1st	\$ 60.00
July	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse bonds, July 1st.....	60.00
Dec.	31	Balance	5,693.79
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			\$5,813.79
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account with

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1926

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$3,811.62
	Dividends, Pennsylvania R. R. Co.....	156.25
	Dividends, Boston & Providence R. R. Co.....	100.00
	Dividends, Old Colony Railroad Co.....	70.00
	Dividends, Boston & Albany R. R. Co.....	140.00
	Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	607.50
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 1st pfd....	40.00
	Dividends, Great Northern Ry Co. pfd.....	125.00
	Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s	50.00
	Coupons, Southern Railway Co. 4s.....	120.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.....	50.00
	Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 4s	60.00
	Interest on Deposit.....	50.87
	5 Rights (60 used) American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	30.85
	5 shares New York Rys. Corp. com.	50.00
	20 shares New York Rys. Corp., Participating (in liquidation)	281.50
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		\$5,743.59

1926

Cr.

Jan. 6	Doherty Garage	\$ 1.50
16	Moscow Art Ensemble.....	250.00
22	P. A. Carter, Postals, Printing and Labor.....	5.25
Feb. 16	P. A. Carter, Postals, Printing, Labor & Program	7.75
20	Harvard Double Quarter.....	125.00
27	Arthur C. Pillsbury.....	150.00
Apr. 14	P. A. Carter, Postals and etc.....	5.30
7	Tony Sarg Marionettes.....	200.00
May 1	Bruch Concert Co.....	75.00
11	\$1,000 American Tel. & Tel. 4s 1929.....	997.69

24	P. A. Carter, Postals, and etc.....	5.25
28	United Theatre Equipment Co.....	34.00
	Harlan T. Stetson.....	75.00
June 2	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc. (2)	10.60
11	Doherty Garage	6.50
25	\$230 New York Rys., Inc., 6s.....	72.55
July 4	F. G. Nobile Band.....	130.00
Sept. 9	Subscription 10 shares American Tel. & Tel. Co....	1,031.72
Oct. 15	Motion Picture Corp., part interest with Lincoln School in picture machine.....	100.00
27	Home Ferrel Ensemble.....	211.42
Nov. 20	Russian Quartet	106.20
30	P. A. Carter, Postals, etc. (4)	21.20
27	Branson De Cou	100.00
Dec. 31	Balance	2,021.66
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		<u>\$5,743.59</u>

The Fund is invested as follows:

- 50 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
- 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
- 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
- 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
- 5 " Boston Elevated Railway Co. first preferred.
- 75 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
- 1 " New York Railways Participation Corp. in Liquidation.
- 20 " New York Railways Corp. Stock Trust preferred.
- \$1,000 New York Railways Co. 6% Income Bond of 1965.
- \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
- \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
- \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.
- \$2,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4s, 1929.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

The Commissioners submit the following report for the year 1926:

At the last Town Meeting the Selectmen were authorized to purchase land adjoining the present cemetery, comprising approximately two acres, from the heirs of the late Charles S. Wheeler. This land has been surveyed and since February 1st, 1927, the deed, duly executed, has been received from the Wheeler heirs—this will be filed with the Registry of Deeds with a plan of the land.

Inasmuch as the appropriation of \$500.00 was made last year for the purchase of additional land, the deed not having been received before the close of the fiscal year 1926, the money remained in the Treasury and it will, therefore, be necessary to again appropriate the same amount of money in order that this land, for which a deed has been received, may be paid for. The Commissioners also recommend an appropriation of \$500.00 for the general care of the cemetery.

Additional funds have been received by the Town Treasurer on account of the sale of lots and also funds, the income of which is to be used perpetually for the care of certain lots. By reference to the report of the Town Treasurer on account of the cemetery it will be noticed that funds have already been established which now yield quite a considerable income, and it is hoped that when lots are purchased and used, other similar funds will be established.

Some years ago the Honorable Charles Francis Adams engaged the then Miss Edith Biggs, now Mrs. Herbert

G. Farrar, to make a record of the lettering appearing on all the tombstones in the two oldest cemeteries in the Town. By mere chance the Chairman of the Cemetery Commissioners learned of this fact and found that Mrs. Farrar had her original manuscript in connection with this matter. In order that the same may be preserved for future generations and as a matter of interest to the present generation all that Mrs. Farrar collected is embodied in this report.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SMITH
EDWARD F. FLINT
FRITZ CUNNERT,

Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER

In Account With

THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1926		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance on hand.....	\$	605.16
	Dividends, American Sugar pfd.....		28.00
	Lot 449		100.00
	Lot 98		30.00
	Dividends, Union Pacific pfd.....		12.00
	Interest on balance.....		22.48
	Donald Gordon Lot		300.00
	Dividends, Boston & Maine pfd.....		5.00
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			\$1,102.64
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1926		<i>Cr.</i>	
Mar. 9	Middlesex Inst. of Savings (Donald Gordon)....	\$	300.00
	Town of Lincoln		500.00
Dec. 31	Balance		302.64
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			\$1,102.64
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The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer:

Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.
 Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.
 Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund, \$219.68.

Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$46.19.
 Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$46.19.
 Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$46.19.
 John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$77.00.
 Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$77.00.
 George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$15.32.

Francis Flint Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$38.41.
William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$74.48.
Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$44.65.
Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$14.84.
E. H. Rogers Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$29.05.
Ellen T. Trask Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$23.22.
Thomas Huddleston Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$18.33.
Joa Pacewicz Fund, \$400 plus accumulated interest of \$17.68.
Mary S. Rice Fund, \$87.27 plus accumulated interest of \$3.81.
Julia A. Bemis Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$13.26.
Donald Gordon Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$9.80.

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Treasurer.*

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:

Number of residents assessed on property	378
“ non-residents assessed on property	88
“ assessed on polls only	141
“ acres of land assessed	8,740
“ dwelling houses assessed	321
“ horses assessed	162
“ cows assessed	377
“ net cattle, other than cows assessed	47
“ swine assessed	908
“ sheep assessed	11
“ fowl assessed	5,511
Value of land exclusive of buildings	\$753,735
“ buildings exclusive of land	1,540,735

Total value of real estate	\$2,294,470
Total value of personal estate	384,344.22

Total valuation	\$2,678,814.22
State tax	\$5,160.00
County tax	4,258.52
State Highway tax	412.00
Town Grants	84,350.00
Overlayings	2,404.52

Total	\$96,585.04
Deductions	
Income tax	12,306.46
Money voted by Town to be taken from treasury	16,500.00
Estimated miscellaneous receipts	8,057.08

Total deductions	\$36,863.54
Net amount to be raised by taxation on polls and property	59,721.50
Rate of taxation \$22.00 per \$1,000.00.	
Number of Polls 405.	

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN
HERBERT G. FARRAR
THOMAS J. DEE,

Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Real Estate Tax on	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, Henry	200	4.40			4.40
Adams, John	625	13.75			13.75
Adams, Mary O.	4,800	105.60	88,800	1,953.60	2,059.20
A'Hearn, Timothy			3,000	66.00	66.00
Algeo, John O.	150	3.30			3.30
Bailey, Edward O.	550	12.10	5,300	116.60	128.70
Baker, Asel	250	5.50	4,500	99.00	104.50
Ballou, Bertha S.	250	5.50			5.50
Bannon, Edward			2,000	44.00	44.00
Banton, Burton	350	7.70			7.70
Banton, Edmund F.	500	11.00			11.00
Barnes, Thomas			1,000	22.00	22.00
Barthel, Emma	100	2.20			2.20
Barthel, Walter	350	7.70			7.70
Baskin, William J.	420	9.24	4,000	88.00	97.24
Bateman, Helen V.	3,050	67.10	17,250	379.50	446.60
Bean, Abbie E.	350	7.70	3,500	77.00	84.70
Bean, Elmer A.	200	4.40	1,000	22.00	26.40
Bean, Anna K.	150	3.30	6,000	132.00	135.30
Bent, Edwin S., et al			6,000	132.00	132.00
Blodgett, Emma S.			20,000	440.00	440.00

Blodgett, Stephen H.	500	11.00	8,500	187.00	198.00
Bowen, David C.	350	7.70			7.70
Bowen, Lorenzo W.	275	6.05	20,000	440.00	446.05
Bowles, William	1,125	24.75	4,000	88.00	112.75
Bowman, Robert A.	175	3.85			3.85
Boyce, Alice M.	100	2.20		57.20	2.20
Boyce, Manley B.			2,600	99.00	57.20
Boyce Michael J.			4,500	242.00	99.00
Boyce Bros.	6,450	141.90	11,000	22.00	383.90
Bradley, Sarah A. W.			1,000	154.00	22.00
Bradstreet, Byron, Est. of.			7,000	154.00	154.00
Briggs, Jane F.	400	8.80	7,000		162.80
Briggs, Richard Jr.	1,000	22.00		275.00	22.00
Briggs, Charles V.	400	8.80	12,500		283.00
Brooks, Albert S.	500	11.00			11.00
Brooks, Estella M.			3,500	77.00	77.00
Brooks, Lorenzo E.	450	9.90	6,000	132.00	141.90
Brooks, Sarah W.			2,400	52.80	52.80
Brooks, Sarah W., et al.	200	4.40	4,500	99.00	103.40
Brown, Nettie M.			1,200	26.40	26.40
Brown, Valence B.	300	6.60			6.60
Browning, Edgar C., Est. of.	500	11.00	2,500	55.00	66.00
Browning, George U.	1,500	33.00	6,000	132.00	165.00
Bunker, Abbie E.			3,000	66.00	66.00
Bunker, Louis F.	1,200	26.40			26.40
Burgess, John A.	150	3.30	7,500	165.00	168.30
Burke, Norman	150	3.30			3.30
Burke, Thomas D.	150	3.30	2,500	55.00	58.30

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Burns, William C.	550	12.10			12.10
Butcher, Arthur A.	100	2.20			2.20
Butcher, Charles R.	1,700	37.40	1,500	33.00	70.40
Butcher, Henry A.	300	6.60	2,000	44.00	50.60
Butcher, Ralph E.	400	8.80	3,500	77.00	85.80
Calkins, James T.	125	2.75	3,000	66.00	68.75
Calkins, T. Alonzo	2,000	44.00	3,000	66.00	110.00
Campbell, Fannie S., et al.			9,100	200.20	200.20
Carlson, Benjamin E.	2,150	47.30	23,000	506.00	553.30
Catoia, Angelo			3,000	66.00	66.00
Ceraso, Michael	75	1.65			1.65
Chapin, Arthur S.	500	11.00			11.00
Chapin, Carrie B.			2,100	46.20	46.20
Chapin, Clara F.			7,000	154.00	154.00
Chapin, Cyrus S.	1,500	33.00			33.00
Chapin, Eliz. G., et al.			2,000	44.00	44.00
Chaves, John B.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Christiansen, Peter O.	50	1.10	1,000	22.00	23.10
Christie, George H.	400	8.80			8.80
Clapp, Clarence G.	600	13.20			13.20
Clark, Thomas	100	2.20			2.20
Coan, Bridget	600	13.20	4,000	88.00	101.20
Coan, John H.	1,800	39.60	4,500	99.00	138.60

Coan, Martin	200	4.40				4.40
Coan, Thomas F.	75	1.65			66.00	67.65
Coburn, Edward S.	2,200	48.40			110.00	158.40
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.	3,355	73.81				73.81
Codman, Hugh	4,220	92.84				92.84
Codman, Thomas N.	1,975	43.45				43.45
Codman, Thomas N., Agent for Ogden Codman	1,960	43.12				43.12
Codman, Thomas N., et al., Trustees	125	2.75			1,650.00	1,652.75
Condit, Harry M.	1,000	22.00			220.00	242.00
Connors, Michael	225	4.95			22.00	26.95
Conway, William	550	12.10			44.00	56.10
Cook, George	300	6.60				6.60
Corrigan, Mary					55.00	55.00
Corrigan, Patrick F.					50.60	50.60
Costello, William	400	8.80			22.00	8.80
Cotoni, Nicholas	630	13.86				35.86
Coughlin, Alfred C.	300	6.60				6.60
Cousins, Ashley B.	75	1.65				1.65
Cousins, Harold S.	625	13.75			198.00	211.75
Crook, Russell G.					66.00	66.00
Crowley, Timothy J.	100	2.20			33.00	33.00
Cruikshank, Andrew					11.00	2.20
Cunnert, Jennie and Emma Bartel	200	4.40				11.00
Cunnert, Fritz					77.00	4.40
Cunnert, Carl T., Est. of					88.00	77.00
Cunningham, Francis H.						88.00
Cunningham, George E.	300	6.60			110.00	116.60

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Cunningham, Harry D.	150	3.30			3.30
Danner, John			5,000	110.00	110.00
Davis, Alfred G.	3,300	72.60	8,000	176.00	248.60
Davis, E. Russell	1,000	22.00			22.00
Davis Prescott L.	2,700	59.40	9,000	198.00	257.40
Davison, Everett H.	200	4.40	2,500	55.00	59.40
Dean, Clarence H.	300	6.60			6.60
Dean, Harold S.	190	4.18	1,750	38.50	42.68
De Cordova, Julian	12,300	270.60	45,000	990.00	1,260.60
Dee, Thomas J.	800	17.60	6,000	132.00	149.60
Delory, Theresa			1,500	33.00	33.00
Delory, William	200	4.40	500	11.00	15.40
Dempsey, Edward	300	6.60	2,000	44.00	50.60
Denio, F. Winchester	1,000	22.00	2,500	55.00	77.00
De Normandie, Charles L.	1,400	30.80	7,500	165.00	195.80
De Normandie, William J.	400	8.80			8.80
De Palma, Nicholas, Est. of			500	11.00	11.00
Diamond, James H.	500	11.00	800	17.60	28.60
Dodge, Kate F. P., Est. of			3,500	77.00	77.00
Doherty, Anthony J.	1,300	28.60	5,500	121.00	149.60
Doherty & Corrigan	5,000	110.00	5,500	121.00	231.00
Doherty, Mary			2,000	44.00	44.00
Doherty, Matthew H.			3,500	77.00	77.00

Domenichello, Dominic	475	10.45	2,000	44.00	54.45
Donaldson, James F.	400	8.80			8.80
Donaldson, Robert D.	7,050	155.10	50,300	1,106.60	1,261.70
Dougherty, Andrew J.	1,625	35.75	3,000	66.00	101.75
Dougherty, Andrew J. Jr.	350	7.70			7.70
Dougherty, Allen R.	200	4.40			4.40
Dumphrey, Richard	600	13.20			13.20
Eaton, Winslow A., Est. of ..			2,500	55.00	55.00
Edgerly, Jonathan F.	1,600	35.20	22,000		519.20
Ehleest, Ellen			2,500	55.00	55.00
Ellms, Charles W.	200	4.40	6,000	132.00	132.00
Ellms, Marjorie				4.40	4.40
Farquhar, David			6,500	143.00	143.00
Farrar, Edward R.	300	6.60	8,150	179.30	185.90
Farrar, Herbert G.			5,000	110.00	110.00
Farrar, John F.	600	13.20	3,500	77.00	77.00
Farrar, John F. and Herbert G.					13.20
First Parish			3,500	77.00	77.00
Flagg, Nolan, R.	500	11.00			11.00
Fleming, Mary	100	2.20	1,000	22.00	24.20
Flint, Edward F.	3,100	68.20	16,500	363.00	431.20
Flint, Ephraim B.	2,300	50.60	13,400	294.80	345.40
Florio, Tito	500	11.00			11.00
Flynn, Frank J.	400	8.80	3,000	66.00	74.80
Foreman, Charles F.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Foster, Helen P.			350	7.70	7.70
Franch, Lyndol	350	7.70			7.70
Garadski, Archy	300	6.60			6.60

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Gately Annie E.	200	4.40	20,000	440.00	444.40
Gayer, Clara W.	250	5.50	2,700	59.40	64.90
Giles, Thomas L.	500	11.00	3,000	66.00	77.00
Giles, Thomas T.	1,000	22.00	1,000	22.00	44.00
Glover, Charles A.	700	15.40	2,500	55.00	70.40
Graf, Edward	150	3.30	500	11.00	14.30
Graves, George A.	515	11.33	7,000	154.00	165.33
Graves, George A., Trustee			50	1.10	1.10
Gregory, LeRoy H.	300	6.60	4,500	99.00	105.60
Gustin, Francis E.	900	19.80			19.80
Gustin, Francis E., Jr.	100	2.20			2.20
Hagerty, Raymond E.	400	8.80			8.80
Hamilton, Celeste C.			3,600	79.20	79.20
Hamilton, D. Lincoln	100	2.20			2.20
Hallett, Walter G.	250	5.50			5.50
Harding, William A.	100	2.20	2,500	55.00	57.20
Hart, Joseph S.			22,000	484.00	484.00
Hatheway, Louise A.	21,450	471.90	146,000	3,212.00	3,683.90
Hartwell, J. Redmond	350	7.70			7.70
Haynes, Georgie L.	250	5.50	3,000	66.00	71.50
Heald, Jay M.	1,000	22.00	5,700	125.40	147.40
Henderson, George W.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Herman, Edwards N.	4,000	88.00	17,500	385.00	473.00

Hersey, Wilmer R.	800	17.60			17.60
Hews, Annie M.	300	6.60			6.60
Higginson, A. Henry	3,750	82.50			82.50
Higginson, Henry L.	2,000	44.00			44.00
Hill, Dorothy B.			7,000	154.00	154.00
Hill, Irving S.	400	8.80			8.80
Hilliard, Florence M.			10,000	220.00	220.00
Hilliard, William M.	50	1.10			1.10
Hinds, Horace S.	500	11.00	7,250	159.50	170.50
Hobbs, E. Stanley, Jr.	300	6.60	2,500	55.00	61.60
Hodges, George C.			9,000	198.00	198.00
Hogan, Elinor	100	2.20			2.20
Hogg, John	300	6.60			6.60
Holman, Daniel			200	4.40	4.40
Hoyt, Georgina	500	11.00			11.00
Hoyt, Jesse I.	100	2.20			2.20
Hunt, Merrill	4,225	92.95	11,200	246.40	339.35
Hunter, Euphemia J.	1,700	37.40	9,000	198.00	235.40
Hutton, James			1,300	28.60	28.60
Jensen, Holgar J.	300	6.60			6.60
Jensen, Niels	950	20.90	4,250	93.50	114.40
Jensen, Olin A.	400	8.80			8.80
Johansen, John	300	6.60	500	11.00	17.60
Johnson, George M.	400	8.80			8.80
Johnson, John			1,100	24.20	24.20
Johnson, Walter W.	50	1.10	5,500	121.00	122.10
Jones, Walter F.	400	8.80			8.80
Jose, Eugene	910	20.02	4,400	96.80	116.82

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Kelliher, John J.			3,600	79.20	79.20
Kennedy, Honor			3,100	68.20	68.20
Kidder Bros.	1,800	39.60	12,700	279.40	319.00
King, Elizabeth L.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Kinney, Robert C.	300	6.60			6.60
Korford, Harold W.	935	20.57	10,000	220.00	240.57
Lahey, James			1,500	33.00	33.00
Lahey, James E.	200	4.40			4.40
Laird, Mrs. James T.			3,250	71.50	71.50
Laird, Roderick B.	1,000	22.00			22.00
Lamont, Henry	200	4.40			4.40
Langille, Isaac	300	6.60			6.60
LeMoine, Arthur	300	6.60			6.60
Lennon, James W.			3,000	66.00	66.00
Lennon, John B.			3,000	66.00	66.00
Lennon, Patrick J.			2,000	44.00	44.00
Lewis, James P.	2,000	44.00			44.00
Little, Amos R.	1,700	37.40	32,000	704.00	741.40
Loring, Robert G.	850	18.70	8,000	176.00	194.70
Luce, Charles M.	1,000	22.00			22.00
Lunt, Byron	100	2.20			2.20

Lunt, Charles	75	1.65	2,500	55.00	56.65
Lincoln Stone Quarry Co.	300	6.60	9,000	198.00	204.60
MacAskill, Daniel	125	2.75	3,200	70.40	73.15
MacFarland, Ernest H.	150	3.30			3.30
Mac Rae, Isaac N., Est. of	200	4.40	4,000	88.00	88.00
Mac Rae, I. N. Co., Inc.	350	7.70	3,000	66.00	4.40
Mac Rae, Rothwell N.	250	5.50			73.70
Mandigo, John	200	4.40	4,000	88.00	5.50
Mann, David W.	850	18.70	16,000	352.00	92.40
Marcy, Florence E. G.	500	11.00			370.70
Marren, John J.	300	6.60			11.00
Martin, Angus W.			3,000	66.00	6.60
Martin, Ellen	500	11.00	6,000	132.00	66.00
McHugh, John E.	800	17.60			143.00
McHugh, Mary	200	4.40			17.60
McKinnon, John	250	5.50	3,000	66.00	4.40
McLean, Hector J.	50	1.10			71.50
McLeod, Earl	300	6.60			1.10
McLeod, Edward	1,000	22.00			6.60
Montgomery, Hastwell T.	300	6.60			22.00
Mort, William D.	325	7.15	4,500	99.00	6.60
Morrissey, Annie			3,500	77.00	106.15
Moynihan, Timothy, Est. of	100	2.20			77.00
Murphy, George	200	4.40	5,000	110.00	2.20
Mannarino, Joseph	2,150	47.30	9,000	198.00	114.40
Nelson Bros.	200	4.40			245.30
Nelson, Charles M.	1,000	22.00	4,500	99.00	4.40
Neville Bros.					121.00

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Neville, Henry P.	400	8.80			8.80
Norton, Bridget M. and John H.			6,000	132.00	132.00
Norton, Thomas F.	200	4.40			4.40
O'Brien, Frank M.	100	2.20			2.20
O'Brien, James	500	11.00	1,500	33.00	44.00
O'Leary, Delia	150	3.30	6,000	132.00	135.30
O'Leary, John J.	200	4.40			4.40
Olsen, William K.	600	13.20			13.20
Osgood, Emily K.	800	17.60	40,000	880.00	897.60
Page, Henry R.	600	13.20			13.20
Page, Henry R., et al.			12,000	264.00	264.00
Palmer, Meredith W.	800	17.60			17.60
Pearl, Leland J.	150	3.30			3.30
Pearson, Burt W., Est. of.	2,675	58.85	5,000	110.00	168.85
Peck, Chester G.	1,500	33.00	23,000	506.00	539.00
Penketh, John J.	50	1.10			1.10
Penketh, William H.	250	5.50			5.50
Peirce, Mrs. Harriet T.	400	8.80	3,500	77.00	85.80
Peirce, Isobel			1,000	22.00	22.00
Peirce, Jennie and Alice.			4,000	88.00	88.00
Peterson, Andrew	100	2.20	1,100	24.20	26.40
Pierce, Elsie			25,500	561.00	561.00
Pike, Carrol H.	700	15.40	5,500	121.00	136.40

Pike, Richard	750	16.50	6,000	132.00	148.50
Poland, Verne L.	200	4.40			4.40
Pollard, Anne D.	8,830	194.26	36,500	803.00	997.26
Pollard, Frederick H.			7,000	154.00	154.00
Porter, Frederick A. and Walter J.			10,600	233.20	233.20
Porter, Frederick A.	800	17.60			17.60
Porter, Walter J.	1,850	40.70			40.70
Poor, Jane and Marion Fitch	140	3.08	2,500	55.00	58.08
Powers, James F.	500	11.00			11.00
Preble, Charles O.	400	8.80			8.80
Quinby, Sarah P.			3,500	77.00	77.00
Rasmussen, Robert	100	2.20	2,000	44.00	46.20
Rice, Edwin B.	500	11.00	3,000	66.00	77.00
Rice, Warren A.	420	9.24	1,000	22.00	31.24
Riley, Ellen			6,000	132.00	132.00
Riley, John U.	1,200	26.40			26.40
Roche, Bridget			6,000	132.00	132.00
Roberts, William G.	350	7.70			7.70
Robbins, Clarence	200	4.40			4.40
Robinson, Charles M.	200	4.40			4.40
Robus, Tamzin K.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Rogers, John H.	540	11.88	6,500	143.00	154.88
Rollins Bros.	2,100	46.20			46.20
Rollins, Charles L.	150	3.30			3.30
Rollins, Elmer A.	175	3.85			3.85
Rooney, George M.	200	4.40			4.40
Rooney, John W.	100	2.20	2,000	44.00	46.20
Ryan, Daniel	200	4.40			4.40

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Ryan, James T.	50	1.10			1.10
Ryan, Mary			2,300	50.60	50.60
Ryan, Statia			2,400	52.80	52.80
Ryan, Mary A.	200	4.40			4.40
Ryan, Mary J.	700	15.40	2,500	55.00	55.00
Sargent, Charles O.	100	2.20	7,500	165.00	180.40
Scripture, Bertha	100	2.20			2.20
Scripture, Mary J.	200	4.40			4.40
Seeckts, Marion E.	400	8.80			8.80
Seegar, Frederick M.	400	8.80			8.80
Shaw, Jeremiah A.			8,000	176.00	184.80
Shepard, Richard A.			3,500	77.00	77.00
Sherman, Carrie			2,300	50.60	50.60
Sherman, Daniel E.	1,875	41.25	15,750	346.50	387.75
Sherman, Roger	800	17.60	6,700	147.40	165.00
Sherman, Susan Mrs.			4,100	90.20	90.20
Sherman, Warren A.	300	6.60			6.60
Sherman, William H.	500	11.00	5,000	110.00	121.00
Silva, Manuel	9,000	198.00	9,000	198.00	396.00
Sims, Mildred, Admx.			1,600	35.20	35.20
Est. of John W. Sims	100	2.20			2.20
Sims, Royal	5,100	112.20			
Smith, Charles S.			63,850	1,404.70	1,516.90

Smith, Sumner	500	11.00	4,000	88.00	88.00
Snelling, Caroline			3,500	77.00	88.00
Snelling, Marion L.	100	2.20	500	11.00	11.00
Snelling, Philip R.	475	10.45	2,500	55.00	2.20
Sousa, Joseph M.	2,800	61.60	18,000	396.00	65.45
Spencer, Arthur H.	500	11.00			457.60
Starrett, Leo			300	6.60	11.00
Stone, Edith L.	2,000	44.00	27,500	605.00	6.60
Storey, Moorfield	200	4.40			649.00
Sturtevant, Seward	50	1.10			4.40
Taillacq, Isabel	1,925	42.35	300	6.60	1.10
Tarbell, George G.			3,800	83.60	48.95
Tarbell, George G., Trustee			22,000	484.00	83.60
Tarbell, George G., Trustees			4,000	88.00	484.00
Tasker, Jennie K.	250	5.50			93.50
Tighe, Daisy A.	200	4.40			4.40
Todd, C. Lee	1,000	22.00	25,000	550.00	572.00
Trembley, Camille	500	11.00			11.00
Tyler, Fred	500	11.00	2,700	59.40	70.40
Tyler, Fred and James Adm'r's Est. of Watson Tyler			2,700	59.40	59.40
Wallace, Frances	300	6.60			6.60
Warner, Henrietta	512	11.26			11.26
Warner, Henry E.	3,000	66.00	14,000	308.00	374.00
Washburn, Mary J.			2,700	59.40	59.40
Watson, Samuel J.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Watson, William E.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Welch, Martin M.			2,500	55.00	55.00

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Welch, Helen F., Est. of					22.00
Weston, Georgiana H.			1,000	22.00	22.00
Wetherbee, Charles E.	300	6.60	5,000	110.00	110.00
Wood, Washington I.	620	13.64			6.60
Woodward, Arthur	460	10.12	4,000	88.00	13.64
Wheeler, Andrew J.	50	1.10			98.12
Wheeler, Earl R.	350	7.70	3,500	77.00	1.10
Wheeler, Charlotte	1,500	33.00			84.70
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.			6,000	132.00	33.00
Wheeler, Charles S., Est. of			13,000	286.00	132.00
Wheeler, Elizabeth F.	400	8.80			286.00
Wheeler, C. Edgar	500	11.00	3,500	77.00	8.80
Wheeler, George R.	410	9.02	5,700	125.40	88.00
Wheeler, Hermon T.	310	6.82	5,000	110.00	134.42
White, Frank E.	600	13.20			116.82
White, Jennie S.			6,000	132.00	13.20
Whitmore, Hale	200	4.40			132.00
Whitney, Harold P.	100	2.20			4.40
White, George E.	500	11.00			2.20
Wilkins, Annie M.	500	11.00			11.00
Wilkins, John H.					11.00
Wilson, John	1,300	28.60	7,000	154.00	154.00
Woodhull, Charles E.	625	13.75	4,000	88.00	116.60
Woodworth, Lewis W.	600	13.20	7,000	154.00	167.75
Yeomans, Wellington F.	100	2.20	3,500		90.20
			77.00		2.20

NON-RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Ames, Mrs. J. B., Cambridge				750	16.50	16.50
Albano Bros., Concord				250	5.50	5.50
Baker, Walter F., Weston				200	4.40	4.40
Blodgett, Edwin S., Miami, Fla.				3,000	66.00	66.00
Brandon, John A., Calif.				6,000	132.00	132.00
Brooks, Mary A., Concord				1,000	22.00	22.00
Broughall, Margaret, Lexington				50	1.10	1.10
Brown, Harry, Wayland				100	2.20	2.20
Brown, William H. and Arthur H., Winchendon						
Burrill, William L.				2,000	44.00	44.00
Bills, Sarah, Sudbury				500	11.00	11.00
Beechnut Packing Co.				1,000	22.00	22.00
Canajoharie, N. Y.	500	11.00				11.00
Cadario, John A., Boston				3,000	66.00	66.00
Carroll, Henrietta S., Malden				100	2.20	2.20
Cheney, George, Weston				200	4.40	4.40
Cinci, Pietro, Watertown	1,000	22.00				22.00
Clary, Dorothy M., Medford				2,000	44.00	44.00
Connors, John N., Lexington	1,200	26.40		2,500	55.00	81.40
Coppinger, Joseph, Rev., Boston				11,000	242.00	242.00
Cousins, Fred E., Littleton				6,100	134.20	134.20
Curley, Annie, Boston				500	11.00	11.00
Dean, Louis W., Waltham	5,500	121.00		6,000	132.00	253.00
DeCoste, Albert E., Spring Water Ice Co., Cambridge	3,200	70.40		5,000	110.00	180.40
DeNormandie, Alice W., Boston	1,000	22.00		20,000	440.00	462.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
DeNormandie, James W., Est. of, Boston			8,000	176.00	176.00
Dizer, Samuel K., Waltham			150	3.30	3.30
Doyle, Daniel, Weston			1,000	22.00	22.00
Dunbar, William H. and D. Blakely Hoar, Boston			500	11.00	11.00
Eaton, Frederick A., Concord			500	11.00	11.00
Edison El. Ill. Co., Boston	40,000	880.00	1,000	22.00	880.00
Emerson, Edward W., Concord			2,000	44.00	44.00
Fernald, Elmer, Waltham			900	19.80	19.80
Fitchburg R. R. Co.			100	2.20	2.20
Gourgas, Francis R. Heirs of, Concord			16,000	352.00	352.00
Graves, Albert S.			200	4.40	4.40
Green, Grace, Mrs., Wakefield, Kan.			500	11.00	11.00
Griffin, R. H., Lexington			100	2.20	162.80
Grimwood, Henry A., Weston			6,600	145.20	145.20
Harrington, T. Frank, Waltham			5,500	121.00	121.00
Hay, Robert T., Melrose			300	6.60	6.60
Hayden, Nellie B., Lexington			80,000	1,760.00	1,760.00
Higginson, Henry L., Est. of			300	6.60	6.60
Holmes, Sarah E., Arlington			1,500	33.00	33.00
Hunt, Lewis E., Somerville			2,500	55.00	55.00
Kaizer, Horace, Concord					

Keyes, Prescott S., Concord.....	11,000	242.00	242.00	242.00
Kolyshkin, George, Cambridge.....	300	6.60	6.60	6.60
Lima, Anthony J., Lexington.....	500	11.00	11.00	11.00
Locke, Isaac, Heirs of.....	250	5.50	5.50	5.50
Lovett, Rob't W., Est. of.....	7,500	165.00	165.00	165.00
MacKenzie, Eliz. G., Waltham.....	11,000	242.00	242.00	242.00
Malloy, Mrs. John, Waltham.....	1,000	22.00	22.00	22.00
Marr, John W., Waltham.....	4,800	105.60	105.60	105.60
McGrath, Bros., Concord.....	1,200	26.40	26.40	26.40
McNeeley, Robert, Boston.....	200	4.40	4.40	4.40
MacRae, Manning, Acton.....	500	11.00	11.00	11.00
Neville, Henry P., Bedford.....	1,000	22.00	22.00	22.00
New England Tel. & Tel Co.....	4,000	88.00	88.00	366.12
Norton, Mrs. T. M., Ayer.....	20	.44	.44	.44
O'Brien, Marjorie C., Boston.....	1,000	22.00	22.00	22.00
Paine, Horace G., Concord.....	200	4.40	4.40	4.40
Pierce, Mrs. Lucy B., Somerville.....	7,000	154.00	154.00	154.00
Pope, Amelia V., Joplin, Mo.....	11,000	242.00	242.00	242.00
Quigley, William, Dorchester.....	500	11.00	11.00	11.00
Richardson, T. C., Est. of, Weston.....	200	4.40	4.40	4.40
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge.....	16,000	352.00	352.00	385.00
Root, Frank K., Chicago.....	600	13.20	13.20	13.20
Seeckts, Albert, Charlestown.....	2,500	55.00	55.00	55.00
Shaw, Nellie K., Woburn.....	150	3.30	3.30	3.30
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston.....	150	3.30	3.30	3.30
Sherwin, Edward V., Boston.....	200	4.40	4.40	8.80
Smith, Howard R., Portsmouth, N. H.....	4,000	88.00	88.00	4.40
Somes, Mrs. George R.....				88.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Personal and Real Estate Total Cash Tax on
Sorensen, Hans, Lexington			1,500	33.00	33.00
Stewart, Frank, Waltham			150	3.30	3.30
Storrow, Helen O., Boston	2,250.00	49.50	5,500	121.00	170.50
Storrow, James J., Est. of, Boston	43,239.22	951.26	146,000	3,212.00	4,163.26
Stow, Elizabeth, Concord			500	11.00	11.00
Thorndike, Sturgis H., Weston			2,000	44.00	44.00
Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee, Wis			250	5.50	5.50
Western Union Tel. Co.	4,236.00	93.19			93.19
Wheeler, Frank, Est. of, Concord			4,000	88.00	88.00
Wheeler, Henry A., Weston			100	2.20	2.20
White, Robert, Lexington			1,000	22.00	22.00
Wilcox, Charlotte W., New Bedford			7,000	154.00	154.00
Williams, Dr. Hubert J., Boston	1,500	33.00	10,000	220.00	253.00
Winchell, Gilbert, Belmont			30,000	660.00	660.00
Worcester, Alice, Waltham			1,500	33.00	33.00

The receipts and expenditures for the year 1926 have been as follows:

Balance on hand January 1st 1926	\$ 15,138.66
Balance, Special Fund from Massachusetts	623.03
Thomas L. Giles, Collector	58,896.12
Moth Department	1,296.31
Concord Court	212.00
District Nurse, Local	388.25
District Nurse, Sudbury	380.00
District Nurse, Schools	400.00
Bank Interest	309.44
Miscellaneous	197.14
Town Hall	10.00
School Department, Lincoln Grammar School Fund	57,682.52
" " " " Com. of Mass. Voc. Ed.	750.88
" " " " Tuition of Children	1,267.59
" " " " High School Trans.	1,275.33
" " " " School Supt.	241.18
" " " " City of Boston, Tuition 1925	1,554.35
" " " " " " " " Tuition 1926	1,944.27
Highway Department, Com. of Mass. State Aid	3,300.00
" " " " Highway Special	7,500.00
" " " " Middlesex County, Highway	6,038.50
" " " " Special	7,500.00
" " " " Local	540.00
City of Cambridge, Tax 1925	324.62
" " " " Tax 1926	357.08
Auction, Stone Crusher	163.50
Dog Tax	343.70
House of Correction	25.00
Loan, First National Bank	25,000.00
Cemetery Fund	500.00
Com. of Mass. Corporation Tax, 1925	33.50
" " " " " " " " 1926	664.93
" " " " National Bank Tax, 1925	31.20
" " " " " " " " 1926	1,422.01
" " " " Trust Company Tax	621.10
" " " " Income Tax 1923	54.00
" " " " " " 1924	68.40
" " " " " " 1925	245.00
" " " " " " 1926	14,616.46
" " " " Soldier's Exemption	.33
" " " " Inspector of Animals	27.71
	<u>\$154,294.06</u>

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REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Dec. 31, 1926.

All taxes, prior to the levy of 1926 have been collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Of the 1926 assessment of \$59,721.50, \$50,631.57 has been collected and paid to the Treasurer, leaving a balance of \$9,089.93 yet to be collected.

THOMAS L. GILES,
Collector.

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

The Tree Warden submits to the Town his report for 1926:

The work has been continued on the same lines as last year, cutting brush and removing dead or dangerous limbs and trees on the following roads: Trapelo Road from a point at Winter Road to the Waltham line, Winter Road from Trapelo Road to the Old County Road, Weston Road from Trapelo Road to Lincoln Road, Lexington Road from Trapelo Road to the Lexington line; and on Concord Ave. from Lexington Road to Lexington line, it was also found necessary to cut the brush on several corners and intersecting roads.

In regard to Gypsy and Browntail Moths the usual scouting work was done and while we find a decrease in the number of Browntail Moth webs, we find there is an increase of Gypsy Moth nests.

The total expenditures on Tree and Moth work is \$2,351.41 of which there has been paid to the Town Treasurer on account of private work \$1,296.00, leaving a net cost to the Town of \$1,055.41.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER.

Report of Treasurer of Lincoln Library for the Year Ending December 31, 1926.

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1926.....	\$520.45	Water Rate	\$10.00
Cash received from fines, etc.....	48.90	Telephone	35.11
Income from Liberty Bonds.....	8.50	Light	44.39
Income from Codman Fund.....	43.75	Supplies	7.06
Income from Trust Funds:—		Clerical Work	10.00
George G. Tarbell Fund.....	\$136.30	Magazines	77.45
George Russell Fund.....	8.80	Books	149.28
Julia A. Bemis Fund.....	59.20	Fuel	494.86
John H. Pierce Fund.....	54.40	Repairs	688.98
Abbie J. Stearns Fund.....	123.98	Income of Pierce Fund, paid to Librarians.....	54.40
Dog Tax Return	382.68	Salaries of Librarians.....	750.00
Town Appropriation	343.70	Total expenditures	2,321.53
	1,000.00	Balance, January 1, 1927.....	26.45
	<u>\$2,347.98</u>		<u>\$2,347.98</u>

The Codman Fund is invested in five shares of Boston & Albany stock. The Trustees hold Liberty 4¼'s to the amount of \$200. These securities are in the custody of the Commissioner of Trust Funds.

JOHN F. FARRAR,
Treasurer, Lincoln Library.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees submit on the following pages the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer for the year ending December 31, 1926.

The Trustees ask for an appropriation of one thousand dollars for the year ensuing.

GEORGE G. TARBELL,
Chairman of the Trustees.

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

Annual Report for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1926

Library open Wednesday and Saturday from 3 to 9 P. M.
except legal holidays.

Number of volumes at beginning of year	11,662
Number of volumes added by purchase	64
Number of volumes added by gift	2
Number of volumes withdrawn during the year	86
Number of volumes at the end of the year	11,642
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use	2,901
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use	1,337
Number of volumes of children's books lent for home use	1,983
Total number of volumes lent for home use	6,221
Largest number of volumes lent in one day	119
Smallest number of volumes lent in one day	23
Number of days Library was open	103

Accession to the Library for 1926

FICTION

Bailey, Temple. The blue window.....	913.29
Berger, Helen. Judy's man.....	914.33
Birmingham, George A. The lady of the Abbey.....	914.38
Byrne, Donn. Hangman's house	912.35
Deeping, Warwick. Sorrell and son.....	911.33
Erskine, John. The private life of Helen of Troy.....	915.45
Ertz, Susan. After noon.....	914.34
Farnol, Jeffery. The high adventure.....	914.38
Fletcher, Joseph Smith. The Amaranth Club.....	915.41
Furman, Lucy. The glass window.....	915.47
Gale, Zona. Peace in Friendship Village.....	915.39
Gibbs, A. Hamilton. Labels.....	911.32
Gibbs, Philip. Unchanging guest.....	915.46
Heyward, DuBose. Porgy.....	915.40
Johnston, Mary. The great valley.....	914.32
Lardner, Ring W. The love nest: and other stories....	912.34
Lincoln, Joseph C. The big mogul.....	911.29
Lincoln, Natalie Sumner. The blue car mystery.....	912.31
Locke, William J. Terella.....	911.30
Loos, Anita. "Gentlemen prefer blondes".....	715.34
Morrow, Honore Willsie. We must march: a novel of the winning of Oregon.....	915.38
Munn, Capt. Henry Toke. Tales of the Eskimo, being impressions of a strenuous, indomitable, and cheer- ful little people.....	912.32
Norris, Kathleen. The black Flemings.....	914.30
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. The golden beast.....	915.44
Ostenso, Martha. Wild geese.....	915.37
Oxenham, John. The hidden years.....	914.28
Phillpotts, Eden. George Westover	914.35
Sabitini, Rafael. Bellarion the fortunate.....	911.31
Sinclair, Bertrand W. Wild west.....	914.37
Stern, G. B. The Matriarch: a chronicle.....	915.42
Thane, Elswyth. Riders of the wind.....	914.29
Thompson, Sylvia. The hounds of spring.....	912.33
Towne, Charles Hanson. Tinsel.....	914.36
Wells, H. G. Christina Alberta's father.....	915.43
Whitlock, Brand. Uprooted.....	914.31

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Barbour, Ralph Henry. The winning year.....	838.26
Colum Padraic. The voyagers: being legends and romances of Atlantic discovery.....	838.23
Curtis, Alice Turner. A little maid of Massachusetts colony	848.6
Nesbit, E. Five of us—and Madeline.....	838.25
Pocock, Doris. Summer at Hallowdene Farm.....	838.24
Schultz, James Willard. In the great Apache forest: the story of a lone Boy Scout.....	848.8
Schultz, James Willard. On the warpath.....	848.9
Steel, Flora Annie. English fairy-tales retold.....	838.21
Wilson, John Fleming. Tad Sheldon, Boy Scout.....	848.7

TRAVEL

Bercovici, Kourad. Around the world in New York.....	412.20
Hall, Trowbridge. California trails, intimate guide to the old missions	426.28
Johnson, Clifton. What to see in America, with five hundred illustrations.....	418.21
Laut, Agnes C. Enchanted trails of Glacier Park.....	428.22
Thomas, Lowell. Beyond Khyber Pass.....	426.30

HISTORY

Bowers, Claude G. Jefferson and Hamilton: the struggle for democracy in America.....	351.8
Harbord Major General, James G. Leaves from a war diary	351.9
Seymour, Charles. The intimate papers of Col. House: arranged as a narrative, Vols. I. II.....	351.10
Sullivan, Mark. Our times. The United States 1900-1925	362.3
Thomason, Jr., John W. Fix bayonets.....	351.11

BIOGRAPHY

Benson, E. F. Mother.....	637.13
De Kruif, Paul Henry. Microbe hunters.....	1542.31
Sandburg, Carl. Abraham Lincoln the prairie years, Vols. I. II.....	647.3

RELIGION

Speight, Harld, E. B. ed. Week day sermons in Kings Chapel, Boston, Mass.....	1136.21
Royden, A. Maude. Life's little pitfalls.....	1136.22

MISCELLANEOUS

Burnham, Ph.D. William H. The normal mind. An in- tro-duction to mental hygiene and the hygiene of school instruction.....	121.13
Briggs, Le Baron R. Men, women, and colleges.....	1542.30

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1926



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman*, Term expires 1928
 EDITH B. FARRAR (MRS.), *Secretary*, Term expires 1927
 GEORGE G. TARBELL, Term expires 1929

Superintendent of Schools

CHARLES M. ROBINSON

Teachers

Junior High School—Grades VII—VIII—IX

EVELYN A. WADLEIGH
 MARION D. PARKER
 MILDRED D. MacDOUGALL

Grade VI

MYRTLE C. ELLIOTT

Grade V

OLIVE E. CHASE

Grade IV

THELMA E. GODDARD

Grade III

RUTH S. MILLS

Grade II

DOROTHY LINFIELD

Grade I

JOSEPHINE C. DOHERTY

Manual Training
LaFORREST ROBBINS

Typewriting
RUTH M. ROBINSON

School Physician
DR. HENRY A. WOOD

School Nurse
DOROTHY C. RUDOLF

Attendance Officer
JOHN J. KELLIHER

Janitor
EDWARD GRAF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Mid-Winter Term, begins Monday, January 3, 1927, ends Friday, February 18, 1927; seven weeks.

Winter Term, begins Monday, February 28, 1927, ends Friday, April 15, 1927; seven weeks.

Spring Term, begins Monday, April 25, 1927, ends Friday, June 17, 1927; eight weeks.

Fall Term, begins Wednesday, September 7, 1927, ends Friday, December 23, 1927; sixteen weeks.

Mid-Winter Term, begins Tuesday, January 3, 1928.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The past year, a few changes were necessary in the superintending and teaching departments. Lincoln, having again returned to that class wherein it is entitled to have its own Superintendent of Schools, it was decided to withdraw from the Superintendency Union, of which it had been a part for several years. Mr. Charles M. Robinson was again appointed to the position of Superintendent and also as heretofore is to devote part of his time to the teaching of certain advanced subjects. As this arrangement has been quite satisfactory in the past, it is expected that it will still continue to be so. Two changes only were made in the teaching staff. Miss Evelyn A. Wadleigh was engaged to teach Junior High School work in the place of Miss Bryant, who resigned to accept a position elsewhere, and Miss Thelma Goddard to take the place of Miss Rogers as teacher of the fourth grade. From the report of the Superintendent, it appears that the school work is progressing satisfactorily.

School Transportation

During the past year, very few changes in fact, none of any importance, were made in connection with the routes of the busses. The committee received a few applications for extensions but felt that they could not, at the present, make any change in the routes as laid out. The present arrangement of the bus routes takes care of the Town as a whole and with the exception of two possible sections, there does not seem to be any reason for making further extensions. Owing to the train arrangements being about the same as that of last year, the pupils going to Concord

High School are still being transported by the Waltham Bus in the morning, and brought back by the bus from the Doherty Garage in the afternoon. This arrangement will probably be continued until a satisfactory rearrangement of the train schedule is made. The present arrangement, however, seems to be working out very well.

School Buildings

At the Town meeting in March, a committee was appointed to look into the matter of making certain repairs and alterations to the South School Building. This committee met at the school, examined the building and grounds and made certain recommendations. As no special appropriation was made to meet the expense in connection with this work, the committee's recommendation was submitted to the Selectmen with the result that the necessary funds were provided and certain work done. This work consisted of painting and varnishing the school rooms, making provisions for a teacher's room, making certain changes in one of the heaters, giving attention to the foundation walls, removing the broken concrete and regrading in front of the building, laying of a new waste pipe from the building to the vault at the rear of the lot and rearranging and providing additional toilet facilities.

This work, a much needed improvement, puts the building in very good condition. As yet, however, the heating of the West room is not satisfactory but it is hoped and expected that further attention will be given this matter and a satisfactory result accomplished. During the past year, the electric wire has been extended into the South School but as yet the necessary connections for lighting have not been made but it is hoped that this will be attended to during the present year. The Centre School building, outside of a few minor matters that may need

attention, is now in very good condition. The septic vaults, however, have been giving considerable trouble and must receive attention in the near future.

In addition to remarks made by the Superintendent on the matter of the attendance of pupils at the school sessions, the committee also would call attention to the very great importance and consideration to be given this matter. The attention of the parents is directed and every effort should be made by them to see that the children attend regularly all school sessions. This means much to the child as invariably something new is taught in each session and the child absent from this session will surely miss something that he should get and from which he would receive some benefit. Again, a teacher cannot be expected, during the regular session, to devote time in assisting pupils to keep up with those who have been in regular attendance. To do this would tend to retard the work of the class as a whole. The Committee, Superintendent and Teachers all realize the importance of this matter of attendance at every session and would ask the parents to co-operate and assist in this respect.

During the past year, the schools have been able to complete the full yearly sessions and have been very fortunate in being not obliged to close because of epidemic or weather conditions. Very little time, if any, has been lost due to those reasons. We have been very fortunate during the recent epidemic of Typhoid in that but a few of our pupils have been affected. Every precaution has been taken to protect the children and all those who desired were inoculated and this without any expense to the parents. Parents should be very grateful for the attention given the children by the school nurse, who has worked consistently and diligently and has given her best efforts and attention to the protection of the children and their needs, not only at school but at the home. As to what has been accomplished

in this respect, the committee would ask the parents to read carefully the report of the school nurse appended to this report.

School Finances

The committee has been able to keep within the appropriation made for the carrying on of the schools during the year. Nothing out of the ordinary has occurred whereby it was necessary to expend beyond the amount received by the committee for school expenses during the year. Next year, however, will require a larger expenditure. The reason for this additional amount being due to the number of high school pupils which necessarily carries with it sums for tuition and transportation. The present Junior High Class consists of twenty pupils, all of whom have expressed an intention of continuing on toward a completion of the High School course. As far as can be ascertained at the present time, we will lose by graduation only three pupils. This means an increase of seventeen pupils for the High School and necessarily means an increase of one hundred dollars for each pupil attending Waltham High School, and one hundred and twenty-five dollars for those attending Concord, for tuition, with the additional amount for transportation. In fact about all of the additional amount required for the year 1927 will be needed for this purpose. The committee in preparing its budget have very carefully considered all matters appertaining to and in connection with the various items of expense, and have considered an increase only when in their judgment such increase is absolutely necessary. After careful consideration, it appears that an appropriation of \$34,500.00 will be necessary for the maintenance of the schools for the present year and such amount is hereby recommended by the committee.

Annexed hereto is a summary of the expenses for the year 1926 together with receipts of amounts received by the Town Treasurer on account of schools.

You are referred to the reports of the Superintendent of Schools and the school nurse annexed hereto for more particular information relative to school matters.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY
GEORGE G. TARBELL
EDITH B. FARRAR

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES OF LINCOLN SCHOOLS DURING 1926

Salaries	\$16,479.99
Supplies	877.76
Books	291.90
Operating Expenses	181.69
Repairs	42.56
New Equipment	189.65
Fuel	798.13
Miscellaneous	212.46
Physician, Nurse	614.87
Local Transportation	5,725.00
High School Transportation	1,892.88
High School Tuition	4,647.30
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	\$31,964.19

Receipts on Account of Schools

Lincoln Grammar School Fund Income.....	\$ 57.52
Commonwealth of Mass. on Acc. Supt.....	241.18
Commonwealth of Mass. on Acc. Vocational Education	750.88
Commonwealth of Mass. on Acc. High School Transp.	1,275.33
Commonwealth of Mass. on Acc. Gen. School Fund	1,900.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts on Acc. Tui- tion of State Wards	1,267.59
City of Boston Tuition of City Wards 1925....	1,554.35
City of Boston Tuition of City Wards 1926....	1,944.27
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	\$8,991.12

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Committee of Lincoln:

I hereby submit my first annual report as Superintendent of Schools, but my fourth annual report as Principal.

Aim

Every purposeful activity must have an aim or a goal; for without actually striving to attain some end, we are liable to either drift along with the wind or to get off our course entirely. It is therefore wise that we stop frequently to see whither we are bound; then we may learn how much progress we have made toward that goal.

The following objectives of education have been almost universally accepted throughout the United States: 1, Health. 2, Command of Fundamental Processes. 3, Training in Citizenship. 4, Vocational Guidance. 5, Worthy Home Membership. 6, Worthy Use of Leisure. 7, Ethical Character.

Not many years ago, the second objective formed the standard by which schools were judged. Today, the way in which the school meets the requirements of all seven objectives determines the efficiency of that school. Not a single goal may be omitted if we are to properly educate our youth in the present complex civilization.

The establishment of high standards in these objectives depends upon the vision of the superintendent, the enthusiasm of spirit in the various grades, the teaching art employed in instruction, wise selection of material to be used, some provision for the practical application of knowledge

and ideals, and—by no means the least—interest and co-operation of parent and citizen.

During the past year I have sought by precept, attitude and action to develop as far as possible this educational ideal. While I am fully cognizant of the fact that our results are far from the goal of perfection, yet after sober and sane consideration we find that excellent progress has been made.

Teachers

Nothing is so important in our educational system as the teaching force: teachers who have been properly trained, understand children, have high ideals; teachers who appreciate the immensity of their task of guiding and leading the future citizens of our country. Large, costly buildings, finery of equipment, vast amount of textbooks, and all else fades almost into oblivion when considered with the choice of those who are to guide the children in the public schools.

“There is no school until the teacher appears,” is the way Superintendent Boynton of Ithaca, N. Y., puts it; “and the kind of school that you then have depends upon the kind of teacher that appears. Neatness in dress and person on the part of the teacher, purity in thought and life, honest, painstaking thoroughness in work, kindness and thoughtfulness for others, firmness and justice in matters of discipline, accuracy in thought and statement, hopefulness, earnestness, enthusiasm, courage, loyalty to pupils and superiors, these characteristics will reflect themselves in the lives and work of her pupils.

“On the other hand, a dissatisfied, grumbling, gossiping, scolding, irritable, nagging, disloyal, insincere, inaccurate, fault-finding, pessimistic sort of teacher always has a class of intellectual nondescripts, causing her trouble, making

little progress in their studies, and reflecting the personal traits and mental characteristics of the teacher."

Lincoln, which a few years ago was noted for the rapidity of changes in its teaching force, has now become greatly stabilized. I am very glad to report that only two changes occurred in the teaching staff this last year. Mrs. Geneva Rogers Church was married and Miss Phyllis Bryant resigned to accept a junior high school position in Arlington.

Miss Thelma E. Goddard of Brookfield, Mass., the fourth grade teacher, is a graduate of the North Adams Normal School. She has had over two years of experience, coming to us from the Lexington schools.

Miss Evelyn A. Wadleigh of Charlestown, Mass., adds greatly to the wealth of training and experience in our Junior High School. She is a graduate of Tufts College and taught two years in Islington.

Thus the standard of the staff has not only been maintained, but has really been raised this last year. Lincoln should be proud of her teachers, who are co-operating in every way to make the schools of this town foremost in the State.

Buildings

During the summer extensive improvements were made in the South School. The entire inside was newly painted, toilet facilities enlarged and the heating plant altered. The grounds in front of the building were also improved.

Improvements

It is with great pride that we have been able to accomplish two lines of endeavor for which we have been striving for several years.

With the funds from the School Plays for the past two

years and aided by the Bemis Lectureship Trustees, we purchased a combination moving picture and lantern slide machine in the fall. Several assemblies have been utilized in showing educational films dealing with health, history and science. There is an unlimited opportunity of educating our youth by this means.

The second grand accomplishment recently is the purchase of a mimeograph for the reproduction of letters, tests or other educational material. With this machine the Junior High School has been able to publish a bi-weekly newspaper or magazine, *The Mirror*, in which is printed not only the news of interest to pupils and parents, but also compositions, stories and poems which have been written for the English classes. This is a great incentive for better English work; as more time and effort are spent on a theme if the writer knows that perchance it might be printed in the school paper where all will carefully read it.

Membership

This year has been one of general upheaval as far as the membership is concerned. From what records we have, no previous year has had such a large proportion of its membership change as has occurred during the year 1926. During the five months from April 1st to November 1st, in addition to the number in the graduating class, there were 54 pupils who left the Lincoln schools. Fifty-two of these moved away from Lincoln; two left to enter employment. This number constitutes practically one-fourth of our average membership of about 219 pupils who left during these five months alone.

At the beginning of the school term in September, 32 new pupils entered the schools above the first grade, making a slightly lower membership than that of the previous year. The totals for the various grades may be found in

the Age-Grade Table of October 1st at the end of this report.

Attendance

Two epidemics have unfortunately caused a great slump in the attendance this past year. I feel, however, there is still much needless absence, which can be eliminated only by the firm act of some of the parents. Is it necessary to keep children out of school to go to see Santa Claus? Should children be allowed to remain at home simply because they missed the barge—which is done purposely in altogether too many cases, I am afraid? One of the chief reasons for absence is “headache;” and yet a large proportion of such sickness is mental and not physical; for after school has begun or the barge has gone the pupil is entirely well and can go out to play. The nurse has found several of such cases, but the school can do nothing if the parents will not.

Many pupils take great pride in their regular attendance and I am happy to report that the following pupils were not absent a single day during the school year 1925-26:—

Grade II—Norma Recchia

Grade III—Thomas Coan

Grade IV—Alvord MacRae

Grade V—Thomas Burke

Grade V—Allan Montgomery

Grade V—Ruby Poland

Grade V—Natalie Recchia

Grade VI—Virgil Poland

Grade VII—Jean Donaldson

Grade VIII—Mary Campobasso

Grade IX—Edith Rogers

Grade IX—Nellie MacRae

Health

The first and the most important objective of education is health, without which we cannot properly achieve other results. We have endeavored to stress this goal along as many lines as possible.

Regular systematic physical exercises have been in operation during the entire year. These are given out of doors whenever possible, using the classrooms only during bad weather. An attempt has been made to have these exercises carry over into the sitting and standing postures of the children in school. While perfection is not in close proximity, we are glad to report progress.

Cocoa was served in both schools from December 1, 1925 to March 19, 1926. The total expense of this project was \$148.36 of which the Grange contributed \$100, the balance being given by parents and pupils. This form of health work is really indispensable.

The dental clinic is reported under a separate heading.

Under the direction of the State Department of Public Health, a clinic for the Schick test and diphtheria inoculation was held from Jan. 22-Feb. 9, 1926. A more detailed account may be found in the Nurse's report.

Epidemics of whooping cough and typhoid fever have visited the schools this year. While neither of these has been severe enough to close school, several classes have been rather seriously handicapped in their work.

For further health information, I refer you to the report of Miss Rudolf, the school nurse.

Dental Clinic

One of the outstanding features of health work this past year was the establishment of a weekly dental clinic from

March 12 to June 14, 1926. We were very fortunate to secure the services of Dr. Edward Frye who has had a successful practice in Boston for several years. Through the aid of friends, a dental chair and other apparatus was purchased for use in the schools. The Lincoln Dental Clinic Committee financially backed the clinic and the work was furnished at cost to the patients.

In addition to the cleaning, filling and extraction of the teeth, Dr. Frye gave talks to the various grades on the care of the teeth. Good teeth are vitally essential to the proper educational development of children; and we believe that too much stress cannot be placed, not only on the treatment of defective teeth, but also on the prevention of decay. We hope that Lincoln may have a permanent annual dental clinic.

Comparison

Are Lincoln schools mediocre? Are our pupils being properly taught and trained? How do the schools in our town compare with those in surrounding towns—or cities?

Without justification, many people are inclined to criticise the schools. Taking everything into account, we have tried to compare the Lincoln schools as a whole with schools in other towns. One of the most striking comparisons was conducted by the superintendent over a period of four months. Using the marks obtained from September to January as a basis, the thirty-two new pupils who entered the Lincoln schools in September were compared with those who were in the schools last year. The following results were obtained:

3 pupils or 9% were better than the grade
14 pupils or 44% were of the grade average
15 pupils or 47% were poorer than the grade

In addition to these facts, testimony by some of the parents of these newer children bears out the truth that Lincoln shows a very favorable comparison to neighboring towns and cities.

Do not be mistaken in thinking we are self-satisfied, as we realize there is ample room for improvement. In fact, we shall never be satisfied until Lincoln schools are the best in the State.

Clubs

Again this fall, three clubs were organized in conjunction with the Middlesex County Extension service: A handicraft club under the direction of Mr. Robbins, a sewing club with Miss Elliott as director, and a supper club under the supervision of Miss Parker.

The work of last winter's clubs was on exhibit at the Town Hall on the evening of the April moving picture show. The entire exhibit caused much favorable comment, especially the articles of the advanced members of the handicraft club. The girls gave a little home demonstration play, written and coached by Miss Elliott.

School Play

Before a large audience, on Friday evening, April 16, 1926, the Junior High School presented its third annual play, "Bashful Mr. Bobbs," under the direction of Miss Bryant. The proceeds from the play were used in purchasing the moving picture machine for the school. The cast of characters was as follows:

Katherine Henderson, A Young Wife.....	RUTH LENNON
Frederick Henderson, Her Husband.....	LESLIE ROLLINS
Mrs. Wiggins, the Landlady.....	GERTRUDE MACFARLAND
Obadiah Stump, A Fresh Country Product.....	IVAN JOHNSON
Frances Whittaker, an Athletic Girl.....	HARRIET ROBUS

Rosalie Otis, a Society Bud.....	EDITH ROGERS
Mr. Robert V. Bobbs; the Bashful One....	EDWARD CORRIGAN
Jean Graham, a Delaware Peach.....	MARGARET LENNON
Mayston Bobbs, Anything but Bashful.....	WARREN FLINT
Celesta Vanderpool, of the "Movies".....	BERNICE HERSEY
Julie, Her French Maid from Paris, Ky....	MARY BUCHANAN

Exhibition and Graduation Exercises

The Town Hall was actually packed on Wednesday evening, June 16, 1926, at the third annual Exhibition and Graduation exercises. Regular school work of all the grades was exhibited on tables and walls in the upper hall. Special exhibits of typewriting, cooking, sewing, drawing and manual training drew much favorable comment from the parents.

The graduation exercises given by the ninth grade may be found at the close of this report.

High School

At the present time Lincoln has 45 pupils in high school: 26 in Waltham, 17 in Concord, one in Boston Trade School and one attending the Newton Vocational School. We are very much pleased to see so many pupils striving for a high school education. The entire 24 pupils in last June's ninth grade graduating class went on to high school. This is as it should be, for there is practically no excuse for any Lincoln pupil not going to high school.

Expenses

The rising cost of education is one of the greatest problems in present-day school administration. If the school population were rapidly increasing, this would not account for the whole increase in expenditure for schools. The real reason is the difference in conception on the part of

the people as to what the schools should do. Society is changing; our method of living, of doing business, everything, has changed enormously in the last 10 or 15 years. The home has changed. Why then should the school retain its old organization? The schools must now prepare their pupils to live in an entirely different age, to meet social and economic conditions never before faced by a youth.

These changes have required more money, especially as the cost of commodities has been rapidly rising. Your superintendent believes just as much as President Coolidge in the strictest economy possible; for extravagance, in my opinion, is one of the greatest curses of the American people. On the other hand, spending what is necessary for the best education of our youth is really the only economy in the end.

One of the largest factors in the recent rapid rise of the cost of education is the increase in teachers' salaries. Up to the time of the war, teachers were paid disgracefully low salaries. On that account it was almost impossible to secure adequately trained teachers. Within the last few years the situation has been improving; and it is because of the higher salary schedule adopted by the School Committee five years ago that Lincoln is able to have such a good teaching force at the present time.

Perhaps the citizens of Lincoln do not know that the State aids somewhat in the improvement of teachers by reimbursing towns according to the training and experience of its teachers. This past year the Town of Lincoln received \$1,900.00 from the State on its teachers' salaries. I do not wish to be misunderstood here. This amount,—also \$1,267.00 and \$1,944.27 received by the Town for the tuition of State and City of Boston wards for the school year 1925-26,—goes into the Town Treasury and not into

the school appropriation. This decreases by over three thousand dollars the net cost to the Town of educating its pupils. Due to the increase in the number of high school pupils, the amount paid by the Town for tuition and transportation to high school was over \$1,400.00 greater in 1926 than the previous year. Here again, however, the State assists the Town by reimbursing the Town for practically the entire amount expended for transportation.

Surely we spend money on education, but is it excessive? "Can we afford it?" asks Superintendent Boynton. "We have money to build state roads enough to lay four parallel lines from New York to San Francisco, every mile of which would build a school for 100 children. In 1920, according to federal statistics, the American people spent upon luxuries in one year a sum equal, within four billion dollars, to the entire cost of the federal government from the adoption of the constitution to the declaration of war against Germany. In other words, we spent that year a sum sufficient to build the public school plant of the nation and to maintain it on its present plane of efficiency, without a dollar of taxation for a period of years. Now, I am not trying to take the joy out of life. I want state roads. I own one of the 17,000,000 cars that run on these roads. Smoke, snuff, and chew, paint and powder to your heart's content. Spend 22 cents for luxuries, or waste 14 cents, but don't cut down the one and one-half cents for education."

Co-operation

While the school is doing practically all it can in the educating of the children, I cannot stress too strongly that the ultimate responsibility for the conduct and character of our children rests squarely upon the shoulders of the parents. The school does not receive the child until he is about six years of age; and too often by this time habits

have been formed which the school can never break. For six long years—the most impressionable, the most formative years of a child's life—he has lived almost wholly in the home before ever entering the door of a school room.

Even after a child does enter school, what proportion of the time is he under the teacher's care? Only about five hours a day and five days a week is the school's time. What the boy or girl is doing the other 140 odd hours is surely of vital importance. Do the parents know? More important than school life, therefore, is the home atmosphere and the standards of religion, morals, work and social action that the conduct of the parents sets for the child.

"Can the school teach as much in one year as you can in 20?" asks Dr. P. P. Claxton, former U. S. Commissioner of Education, writing for "The Mother's Magazine." "Obviously, it cannot; yet we mothers and fathers have always regarded the school as the one great educating influence in the lives of our children. The trouble is, that we have never stopped to realize what a really unimportant part the school plays in the building of character.

"Out of the 180,000 hours between birth and the age of legal maturity, the child spends an average of only 7,000 hours in school. The rest are passed in the home or in the home environment. You can see for yourself how trifling must be the influence of the school on your child's life. Are you going to leave his education up to the school any longer?

"The home was the first, and still is the most important, institution for the education of children. All other agencies of education, however important, however well organized, are only secondary and supplementary to the home; and all of them do their work best when they remember this and co-operate with the home.

"However efficient our schools may be, our children never can be fully and rightly educated until the homes do their part intelligently and faithfully."

More school visits by the parents, and perhaps some home visits by the teachers, will do much toward the strengthening of the co-operative spirit between the school and the home.

Conclusion

There is one recommendation which I wish to make for the thoughtful consideration of the parents. Health, as I have previously stated, is fundamental for efficient work and education. Although the school at present is doing a great deal along health lines, there is one phase which is neglected more than it should be. I refer to the matter of noon lunches. Only one or two pupils live near enough to go home for lunch at noon, thereby making it absolutely essential for practically all to bring lunches to school.

Day after day many pupils come to school without any lunch at all or just one sandwich of plain bread and butter. Many excuses prevail as to why the pupil has no lunch. "I forgot it" is probably the most common. "My mother didn't have time to put up a lunch," or "We didn't have anything in the house for lunch,"—these are only a few of the excuses offered. The sad part of the whole affair is that in most cases the pupils come with money with which to buy "something at the store." And what is bought? Something wholesome, nourishing and substantial? No, either fancy cookies or candy is almost always the purchase.

Some of the lunches brought to school look far from appetizing. Carrying sandwiches every day becomes a little monotonous after several weeks. A few children are in a position to bring milk with their lunches, but not many are situated so they are able to do this. During the

three winter months cocoa is served at the school, but even this is only a small part of what should be done.

I would recommend that definite plans be made toward the establishment of a school lunch room some time in the future. The starting of such a plan would, no doubt, cost considerable; but there is no reason why it would not eventually pay for itself. Good nourishing lunches could be sold at cost price. The modern school is not complete without a lunch room; surely Lincoln needs one as much as, if not more than, schools in other towns and cities.

In closing, let me urge upon the parents and citizens that the Lincoln schools are their schools. They are the ones who pay the bills. Public opinion ultimately determines the policy of any school system. Occasional visits to the school gives a person first-hand information; rumors too frequently are not true. Educating our youth to be useful and upright citizens is the greatest task of all. We realize the responsibility that is ours in administering these schools; do you appreciate your part of the task?

My appreciation of the effective manner in which they have given their services for Lincoln is expressed to the members of the School Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. ROBINSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

Statistics for Year Ending June 30, 1926

Pupils enrolled		233
Boys	134	
Girls	99	
Pupils for whom Town paid tuition elsewhere		32
Non-resident pupils attending school in Lincoln		28
Average daily attendance		204
Number of days schools were in session		177
Average membership		219
Expenditure for Support, Exclusive of General		
Control	\$24,182.26	
Per pupil in average membership of elementary		
schools		76.34

LINCOLN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Graduation Exercises

June 16, 1926

Town Hall, Lincoln, Mass.

1. Opening Song, "National Hymn," . . . JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
2. Address of Welcome, EDWARD CORRIGAN
3. Class History, RUTH LENNON
4. Piano Solo, LESLIE ROLLINS
5. Poem, "Life Needs Us All," HARRIET ROBUS
6. Class Prophecy, Part I, EMMA GRAF
Part II, MARY CORRIGAN
7. Vocal Solo, EDITH ROGERS
8. Class Will, DUNCAN CHAPMAN
9. Poem, "If It's Worth While," BLANCHE MANDIGO
10. Class Song. "Our Lincoln School," . . . GRADUATING CLASS
11. Closing Address, BERNICE HERSEY
12. "Commencement Song," JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

GRADUATES

ALGEO, MARGARET	MANDIGO, BLANCHE
BUCHANAN, MARY	PEDERSEN, HAZEL
BURNS, DAISY	ROBUS, HARRIET
CORRIGAN, MARY	ROGERS, EDITH
GRAF, EMMA	CHAPMAN, DUNCAN
GRAF, LOUISE	CORRIGAN, EDWARD
HOYT, PHYLLIS	FLINT, WARREN
HERSEY, BERNICE	JOHNSON, IVAN
LENNON, MARGARET	MARTIN, GEORGE
LENNON, RUTH	PEDERSEN, WILLIAM
MACFARLAND, GERTRUDE	ROLLINS, LESLIE
MACRAE, NELLIE	SEECKTS, ALBERT

Membership by Age and Grade, October 1, 1926

BOYS

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Total
Grade I.	1	11	1	1										14
II.		6	5	1	1									13
III.			3	3	2	3								11
IV.				6	10	3	3	1						23
V.					4	9	3	0	1					17
VI.						4	4	3	5					16
VII.							5	9	1	1				16
VIII.								3	1	3				7
IX.									2	4	1			7
Total	1	17	9	11	17	19	15	16	10	8	1			124

GIRLS

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Total
Grade I.	6	11	0	1										18
II.		3	3	1										7
III.			7	5	2									14
IV.				3	3									6
V.					2	5	2	1						10
VI.					2	2	3	1						8
VII.							2	6	0	0	1			9
VIII.							1	3	3	1				8
IX.									2	10	2	1	1	16
Total	6	14	10	10	9	7	8	11	5	11	3	1	1	96

ANNUAL REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Lincoln School Committee:—

A report of the school nursing for the year ending December 31, 1926 is hereby submitted.

Both schools have been visited daily. 758 Office calls of pupils treated or advised, 209 Home visits made.

19 pupils taken home on account of illness.

16 trips with children to various clinics which were chiefly the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, and the Waltham Hospital Throat Clinic.

In September 1926 Dr. Wood gave successful vaccination to 12 pupils of the first grade.

During the year there have been:

6 cases of Measles.

1 case of German Measles.

1 case of Scarlet Fever

20 cases of Chicken Pox during April, May and June.

25 cases of Whooping Cough during October, November, and December.

10 cases of Typhoid Fever.

Physical examination by Dr. Henry A. Wood of the 216 pupils found:

70 cases of tonsils.

30 cases of adenoids.

40 cases of glands.

2 cardiac cases under treatment.

2 infantile paralysis cases under treatment.

1 case of chlorea.

4 cases of marked poor posture.

10 pupils with dirty teeth.

79 pupils with carious teeth.

Much improvement is shown over last year in regard to tonsils and in cases where tonsils have been removed glands are disappearing. Only 5 of the tonsil cases are especially defective. To my knowledge 20 pupils have had Tonsillectomy done during 1926.

Physical drills have been in force throughout the year, Miss Mills in charge of the girls and Mr. Robinson in charge of the boys. In good weather these exercises are given out of doors and enough can not be said of the good results obtained.

Following the instructions of Chapter 71 Section 57 of the General Laws, eye tests were made by the teachers with the assistance of the school nurse.

All pupils have been weighed and measured three times during the year. Weighing for December was omitted because of the additional Typhoid work. 38 pupils were 10% or more underweight.

Under the joint auspices of the School Committee, local Board of Health and State Department of Health an underweight clinic was held in Center School, May 12, 1926, 32 parents were interviewed, 17 requests for admission to clinic were signed.

16 pupils examined, 1 pupil absent.

Number of children given tuberculin test.....	16
“ “ “ who reacted to the test.....	8
“ “ “ X-Rayed	7
“ “ cases classified as Suspects.....	5
“ “ “ X-Rayed and classified as negative.....	2
“ “ children with enlarged tonsils and adenoids.....	3
“ “ “ in need of dentistry.....	10
“ “ cases of Malnutrition.....	4

Starting January 22, 1926, Dr. Lyman A. Jones and Dr. Lombard of the State Department of Health, assisted by Dr. Henry A. Wood, school physician, gave the Schick Test and Diphtheria Toxin-Antitoxin Immunization to pupils, teachers, and nurse, making a total of 103 persons treated, of which 19 were negative,

81 given toxin-antitoxin and 3 positive Schicks who did not wish to be immuned. It was interesting to note that the State and Boston City children made up the negative group, we presume their immunity was obtained from a previous illness of Diphtheria or from receiving toxin-antitoxin in other schools.

A Pre-school Conference or Clinic for children from the ages of 6 months to 6 years was held in the Town Hall April 20, 1926, under the auspices of the District Nurse Committee and the Board of Health, 30 children were examined by Dr. Susan Coffin and Dr. Frederica Moore of the State Department of Child Hygiene assisted by Miss M. Gertrude Martin, R. N. and the local nurse.

Many remediable defects were discovered which we hope will receive attention before these children are admitted to school.

A very successful Dental Clinic was conducted through the Lincoln Dental Committee, Mrs. Susan M. Loring, Chairman. Dr. Edward Frye of the Little Building, Boston, was in charge of the clinic, which was held one morning of each week starting March 12, 1926 and ending June 14, 1926, making a total of 11½ clinic days. Charges of 50c for cleanings and other work on the basis of \$2.50 an hour were made.

Total number of pupils treated.....	70
“ “ “ cleanings	61
“ “ “ extractions	62
“ “ “ fillings	149
“ “ “ treatments	4

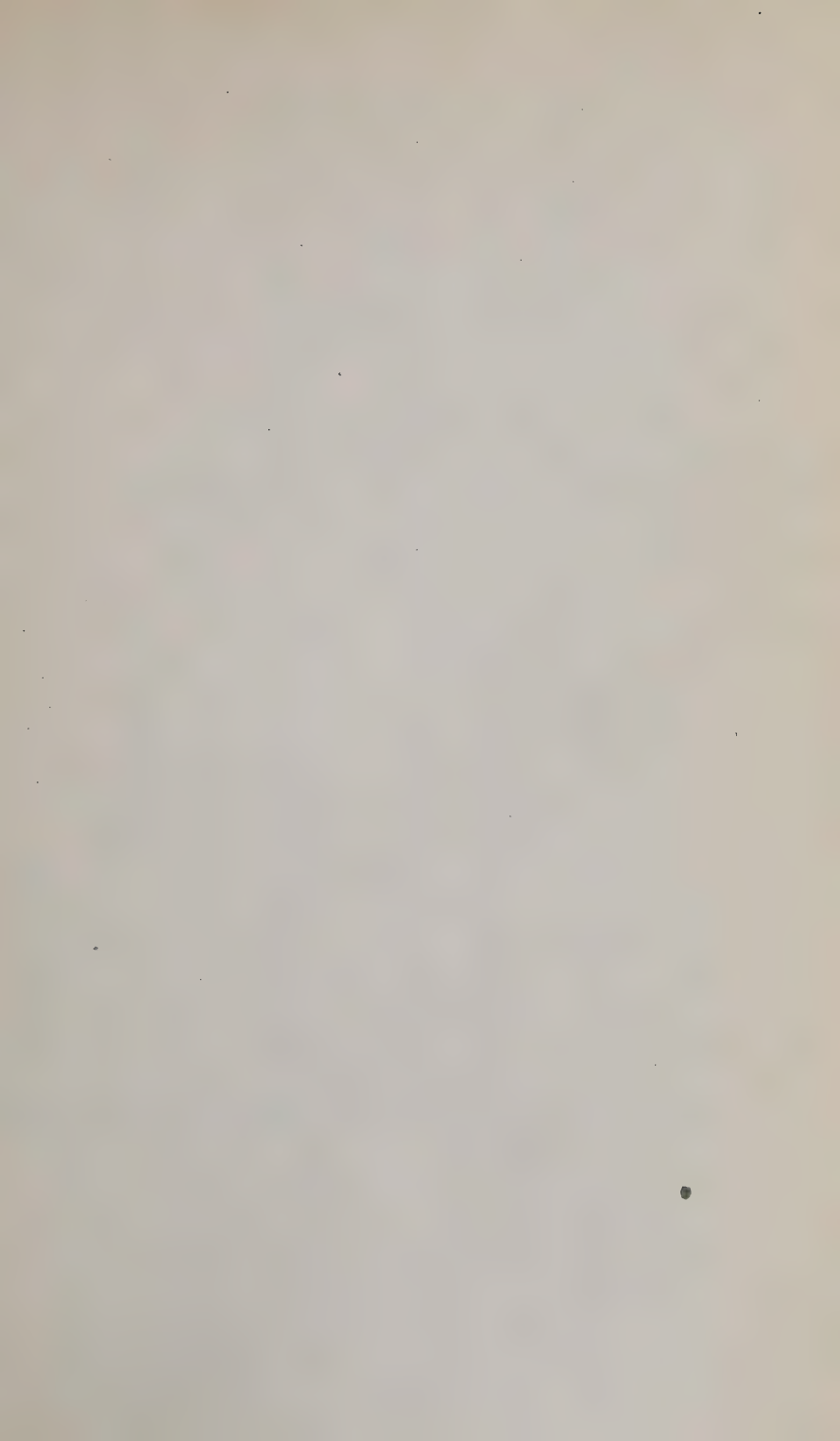
This new method of one morning a week was tried out in order to do follow-up work, but only three teeth had to be refilled. All of the work proved satisfactory.

At the present time New Rules and Regulations are being considered for the Control of Communicable Diseases, to be used in schools.

41 days were spent in Sudbury.

Respectfully submitted with a sincere appreciation of help and kindness received.

DOROTHY C. RUDOLF, R. N.



MINIMUM QUARANTINE REQUIREMENTS

RECOMMENDED BY

THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH*

DISEASE	MINIMUM PERIOD OF QUARANTINE OF PATIENT	CONTROL OF CONTACTS			PLACARD
		ADULTS	IMMUNE CHILDREN	CHILDREN NOT IMMUNE	
Anterior Poliomyelitis (Infantile Paralysis)	Two weeks from onset of disease, and thereafter until acute symptoms have subsided.	No restrictions except as to adult food handlers. (Note 1.)	No restrictions.	If child lives away from home one week and stays away from home, can re-enter school. Otherwise same restrictions as patient.	Yes.
Chicken Pox	Seven days and until all crusts have disappeared.	No restrictions.	No restrictions.	No restrictions.	No.
Diphtheria	One week from date of report and until 2 successive negative cultures, taken at least 24 hours apart, from nose and throat, have been obtained.	No restrictions save Note 2.	If 2 negative cultures are taken and quarantine is effective the child then can continue in school.	If 2 negative cultures are taken and child lives away from home, then can continue in school. Quarantine at home otherwise.	Yes.
Cerebro-Spinal Fever (Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis)	Two weeks from onset of disease, and thereafter until all acute symptoms have ceased.	No restrictions save in certain occupations. (Note 1.)	If child lives away from home 10 days and continues to live away from home, can re-enter school.	If child lives away from home 10 days and continues to live away from home, can re-enter school.	Yes.
German Measles	One week from date of rash.	No restrictions.	No restrictions.	No restrictions.	No.
Measles (Note 4)	One week from date of rash.	No restrictions save non-immune school teachers. These handled as non-immune children.	No restrictions.	Exclusion from school for 16 days from the date of last exposure.	Yes.
Mumps	One week from onset of disease, and thereafter until the disappearance of swelling of salivary glands.	No restrictions.	No restrictions.	No restrictions.	No.

Scarlet Fever	Four weeks from date of rash and thereafter until the discharges from nose and throat, ear or abscesses or other surfaces (e. g., puerperal or surgical scarlet fever) have ceased.	No restrictions save in certain occupations. (Note 1.)	No restrictions if away from home.	If child lives away from home one week and continues to live away from home, can re-enter school.	Yes.
Smallpox	Three weeks and until crusts have disappeared and skin is healed.	Note 3.	Note 3.	Note 3.	Yes.
Whooping Cough	Three weeks from beginning of spasmodic cough.	No restrictions.	No restrictions.	Exclusion from school 2 weeks from exposure.	Yes.
Typhoid Fever	One week after subsidence of clinical symptoms. If patient is a food handler he must have at least 2 negative cultures from both stool and urine. Cultures must be taken at least a week apart. (Note 5.)	No restrictions save for food handlers who cannot continue any work requiring food handling without permission from the local Board of Health.	No restrictions.	No.	No.
Septic Sore Throat	During the clinical course of the disease and convalescence, complete exclusion of the patient from participation in the production or handling of milk or milk products until permission is granted by the local Board of Health.	During the clinical course of the disease and convalescence, all contacts to be excluded from participating in the production or handling of milk or milk products until permission is granted by the local Board of Health.			

NOTES

1. School teachers should have same restrictions as school children.
Food handlers and others whose occupation brings them in contact with children have no restrictions if they live away from home.
2. School teachers must have 2 successive negative cultures taken 24 hours apart; food handlers and others whose occupation brings them in contact with children one negative culture.
3. If the patient goes to the hospital, isolation for 3 weeks for the non-immune contacts. If the patient stays at home non-immune persons living in the same household with the patient must remain in quarantine for 3 weeks after death or recovery of the patient.
4. Warning signs on house seven days *if there are no susceptibles in the family*. If there are susceptibles the placard is kept on sixteen days. If on the 16th day there are children showing prodromal symptoms of measles the card is not removed.
5. It is recommended that at least 2 negative cultures from both stool and urine be obtained in all cases. Cultures should be taken at least a week apart.

*These same requirements are recommended by the Massachusetts Association of Boards of Health.

Notice :

Business Meeting, Monday, March 7th, at 1 P. M.

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the seventh day of March next at one o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, except Article 2, and also to meet in said Town Hall on Saturday, the 12th day of March next at 12:30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the seventh day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March 12th, will be open at 12:30 o'clock P. M. and may be closed at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other Officers required by law, to be elected by Australian Ballot, viz.:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for one year.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow, during the municipal year, beginning January 1, 1927, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor, payable in one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote, shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 or some other amount and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will this year make arrangements with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company for street lighting on the Tower Hill Road, and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize and direct the Water Commissioners to remove that part of the cement water pipe now located between the center of the Town and the railroad station and replace the same with suitable iron pipe, and provide the necessary funds for the cost of replacement by the issue of bonds, notes or otherwise, or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will direct the Selectmen to issue licenses to Inn-holders, common victuallers, and other keepers of restaurants or eating or drinking establishments upon applications made therefor as provided in Section 1 of Chapter 299 of the Acts of the year, 1926, or take any action in relation to the same.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will accept the legacies provided in the will of the late John H. Pierce and in the will of the late Miss Elsie Pierce, or take any action in regard to the same.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against any and all claims

for land, grade and drainage damages which may be caused by or result from the laying out and construction of a State Highway on the British Trail, so called, in Lincoln, and will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sign an indemnity agreement therefor in behalf of the Town, or take any action with respect thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 391 of the Acts of 1923, an act which under certain conditions makes water taxes a lien on real estate.

HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this WARRANT with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 26th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

CHARLES S. SMITH
C. LEE TODD
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

In Memoriam

INSCRIPTIONS

*Copied from the Tomb Stones
in the*

ORIGINAL TOWN CEMETERY
and the

SECOND TOWN CEMETERY,
made at the request of the

LATE HON. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS
by

MISS EDITH BIGGS
(MRS. HERBERT G. FARRAR)



Number of stones with dates only	164
Number of stones with dates and verse	116
Number of stones with facts and verse	9
Number of stones with facts only	20
Number of stones in Old Burying Ground	75
Number of stones in Old Training Ground	196

To be photographed
Old Training Ground.

10	66	116	172
12	68	118	178
22	72	119	180
25	75	120	194
28	79	133	Old Burying Ground
29	81	140	
34	84	142	36
37	86	144	60
42	88	148	61
43	91	150	63
44	93	157	75
45	98	158	
47	99	160	
50	100	162	
51	101	165	
52	112	167	
60	114	169	
63	115	171	

ORIGINAL TOWN CEMETERY

Erected To the memory of MR. JOHN ADAMS, Son of Mr. James and Mrs. Delia Adams, who died at the Havana, Oct. 15, 1809, Aged 29 years.

He was most esteemed by those who knew him best.

In Memory of MR. JAMES ADAMS who died March 10, 1803: Ætatis 71.

Imitate his Virtues and follow him to Glory.

In memory of MRS. DELIA ADAMS, widow of the late Mr. James Adams, deceas'd, who died December 9th 1813, in the 70th Year of her age.

Sweet were the hopes that chear'd her soul
Those hopes by God were given;
And tho' her body sleeps in dust,
Her soul ascends to Heaven.

In memory of MRS. LYDIA, wife of Mr. Joseph Adams; who died July 25, 1825: Æ t. 67.

'Tis God that lifts our comforts high,
Or sinks them in the grave;
He gives (and blessed be his name)
He takes but what he gave.

In memory of MRS. MARY ADAMS, wife of Joseph Adams, Esq. who died Jan. 10, 1794, Aged 66.

Bles'd are the dead the happy dead
Who die in Christ their living head;
They from their painful labour cease
And enter into perfect peace.

Sacred To the Memory of JOSEPH ADAMS, Esq.
Who died March 28, 1807; Æ t. 83.

Death is a debt to nature due
Which I have paid and so must you.

In memory of MR. ANDREW ADAMS, who died
June 19, 1840, Æ t. 71

In memory of MRS. POLLY, wife of Mr. Andrew
Adams, who died Nov. 30, 1840, Æ t. 70.

Why should we weep for them, who, having won
The bounds of man's appointed years, at last
Life's blessings all enjoyed, life's labours done
Serenely to their final rest have passed,
While the memory of their virtues, yet
Lingers like twilight hues, when the bright sun has set.
A. Davis Harvard.

KEZIA ADAMS Daught^t of M^r James and M^{rs} Kezia
Adams died March y^e 30th 1769 in y^e 7th Year of her Age.

Memento mori

Here lies the Body of M^{rs} KEZIAH ADAMS the wife
of M^r James Adams who departed this Life August the
22^d A. D. 1765 in the 33^d Year of her Age.

To the mem^y of CAPTAIN DANIEL ADAMS who
died February y^e 9th 1780: in y^e 90th Year of his age.

My friends for me pray do not weep,
I am not dead, but here do sleep;
And here Indeed I might remain,
Till Christ shall raise me up again.

Memento mori.

Here lies the Body of M^{rs} ELIZABETH ADAMS The
Wife of Cap^t Daniel Adams who departed this Life Nov^{br}
the 12th A. D. 1764 in the 68th Year of her age.

From Death's Arrest No Age is Free.

Here lies y^e Body of M^r BENJAMIN ALLEN Jun^r
who died February y^e 26th 1770. Æ tatis 30.

Here lies y^e Body of M^{rs} MARY ALLEN Wife to M^r
Benjⁿ Allen Jun^r Dec^d she died May y^e 3^d 1773, Ætatis
24.

Death like an overflowing stream,
Sweeps us away, our Lif's a Dream,
An empty tale, a Morning flour,
Cut down and withered in an hour.

To the memory of LOVEY ADAMS Daughter of D^r
Joseph Adams and M^{rs} Lovey his wife. She departed Life
June 10th 1776. aged 8 months.

Happy infant early blest
That in peaceful slumbers rest.

MARY ANN, Daughter of Mr. Bulkley and Mrs. Anna
Adams, died March 17, 1809, Æ t. 22 ms.

ANNA ADAMS, widow of Bulkley Adams, died Dec.
16, 1849; aged 77.

"Why should we mourn thy absence here,
Thy spirit seeks a happier sphere?"

A. Cary, Boston.

In memory of CAPT. BULKLEY ADAMS, who died
June 29, 1827, Æ t. 68

Lord heal the wound thy stroke has made:
Supply his place, remove our fears;
Be thou our God, preserve our peace,
Excite our love, dry up our tears.

S. A. R. 1775.

In memory of MRS. PERSIS ADAMS, wife of Mr.
Bulkley Adams; who died April, 25, 1797, Aged 34.

In memory of MRS. BULAH ADAMS, wife of Mr. John Adams, who died 1st April, 1807. Aged 71.

In memory of MR. JOHN ADAMS who died 17th Jan. 1809. Aged 85.

Memento mori.

Here lies the body of M^{rs} LUCY ADAMS, (wife of Mr John Adams) who died Dec^r 24th 1791; In the 62^d year of her age.

Sacred to the memory of MR. JONAS ADAMS Born June 8th 1772, died Nov. 14, 1812. Aged 40 years and 5 months.

Sacred to the memory of MRS. DORCAS ADAMS wife of Mr. Jonas Adams. Born June 5, 1775. Died April 5, 1830, Aged 54 years and 10 months.

Sacred to the memory of MRS. ELIZABETH, wife of Mr. Nathaniel Baker, who died Dec. 4, 1821: In her 78th year.

In memory of MR. AMOS BEMIS, who died April 14, 1830; Æ t. 69.

Oye! whose cheeks the tear of pity stains,
 Draw near with pious reverence and attend;
 Here lies the loving husbands dear remains,
 The tender father, and the generous friend.

In memory of MRS. SUSANNA, wife of Mr. Amos Bemis; who died Nov. 12, 1827: Æ t. 53.

The tender mother and the faithful wife,
 At Gods command resign'd her mortal life;
 But faith would check our sorrows as they rise,
 And point to endless life beyond the skies.

Sacred to the memory of MR. JONATHAN, Son of Mr. Amos and Mrs. Susanna Bemis: who died Oct. 31, 1822: Æ t. 28.

Accept loved friend, a lingering last farewell,
Long shall thy manly worth, in memory dwell;
Taught by the example, thy short life has given—
O may we wisely live, prepared for heaven.

Sacred to the memory of MISS CAROLINE, Daugh. of Mr. Amos and Mrs. Susanna Bemis; who died March 9, 1825: Æ t. 20.

Again the King of terrors throws his dart;
O lovely Caroline,—and must we part,
So God appoints; and why should we complain
For He who lent her; takes his own again.

MR. JOSEPH BILLINGS died, Feb. 17. 1825, Æ. 63.

Erected 1835, in accordance with the last Will and Testament of CALEB C. BILLINGS, of Bangor, Me. who died Nov. 17, 1833, Æ. 46.

Our Fathers, where are they?

S. A. R. 1775.

L. Hartwell.—Sc. Littleton.

Memento mori

Here lies the Body of M^{rs} ANNA BILLING wife of M^r Daniel Billing, who departed this Life June 21st 1777. In y^e 29th year of her age.

Affliction sore some time I bore,
Physicians were in vain;
Till God did pleas and death did seas
To eas me of my pain.

In memory of ANNA BILLING Daugh^r of M^r Timothy Billing and M^{rs} Anna his wife, who died Jan^r 23^d 1779. Aged 15 m. and 23 days.

In Memory of MISS MARY BILLING, who died July 11, 1797 Ætatis 36.

Friend quit this stone and look above the skies,
The dust lies here, but virtue never dies.

Memento mori

In Memory of M^r TIMOTHY BILLING, who departed this Life June 10th 1781. In the 70th year of his age.

The sweet Remembrance of y^e Just
Shall flourish when he sleeps in dust.

Erected In Memory of MR. TIMOTHY BILLING, who died Nov. 26, 1812. Æt. 64. S. A. R. 1775.

In memory of MRS. ANNA BILLINGS who died Oct. 19. 1815. Æt. 65. wife of Mr. Timothy Billing.

Memento mori.

Here lie deposited the Remains of DOCTOR JOHN BINNEY, a man much Improved and Esteemed for his Abilities and success in the healing art. he resined this Mortal Life August y^e 14th AD 1760: Ætatis 55.

Beneath this stone Death's Prisner lies,
The stone shall Move, the Prisner rise:
When God by his Almighty word,
Call's his dead Saints to meet the Lord.

Here Lies Interred y^e Body of CA^{pt} SAMUEL BOND of Lincoln who Departed this Life January y^e 20th 1763 in y^e 70th year of his age.

Memento mori.

Here lies the Body of M^{rs} MARY BOND wife of Cap^t Samuel Bond, who departed this Life June 13th 1776. In the 75th year of her age.

Memento mori

Here lies the Remains of M^r WILLIAM BOND, who departed this Life August. 10th 1775. In y^e 45th year of his age.

Memento mori

Here are Interred side by side the Remains of M^{rs} LYDIA BOND, Wife of M^r William Bond: she departed this Life May y^e 7th AD 1774, in the 39th Year of her Age.

Also ANNA BOND Daugh^r of the s^d William and Lydia Bond she deceased Sep^t y^e 6th, 1767. Aged 3 Years, and 16 Days.

The Root and Branch
Are both cut Down by Death,
Surviving Friends
Must soon Resign their Breath.

In Memory of M^{rs} ESTHER BOWMAN wife of M^r Edmund Bowman, who died July 22^d 1780. In the 42 year of her age.

Memento mori

Here Lies the Body of M^r AMOS BROOKS who departed this Life November 19th 1765. Aged 48 Years, 10 months and 29 day^s

Erected in memory of JOHN BROOKS, son of De^a
Daniel and M^{rs} Bathsheba Brooks, who died Aug^s 18th
1795; aged 21 months and 20 days.

This bud put forth serene and bright
But wither'd ere 'twas noon,
Stop here ye gay and drop a tear
That youth must die so soon.

JOHN BROOKS. S. A. R. 1775.

FRANKLIN, son of Joshua and Sarah Brooks, Born Dec. 22, 1809, Died May 6, 1869, Æ t. 59 y'rs.

In memory of MRS. ELIZABETH BROOKS, widow of the Hon. Eleazer Brooks, Esq. She was born July 15, 1745, and died Dec. 25, 1825.

She was a professor of christianity, and a conscientious observer of its duties.

The years roll on us yet;—but time shall end,
The Trump shall sound, and God the Judge descend;
The quick and dead the summons must obey;
And then the bursting grave shall yield its prey.

This Monument is erected to the Memory of the HON. ELEAZER BROOKS ESQ. who died Nov. 9, 1806, in the 80th year of his age.

He possessed great natural endowments, which he much improved by deep research, and diligent application. He was intrusted with many important offices, both military and political. In the defence of the rights of his Country he distinguished himself in Council and in the Field. As a statesman and Politician, he excelled. He was for 27 years in one or the other of the Branches of the Government of the Commonwealth. In the latter part of his days he accepted the office of a Deacon in the Church of Christ, declaring it one of the greatest Honours of his life, to be placed in the immediate service of his divine Lord. He discharged his various duties and Employments, with ability, integrity, and success. He lived and died in firm belief of the Holy Scriptures and in constant, humble dependance on the Grace of God revealed in the Gospel of his Son.

Reader, oer him who sleeps beneath this sod

Mourn; but with christian hope, and muse awhile:
He loved his country, he adored his God;

An Israelite in whom there was no guile.

Memento mori.

Here lies Interr'd The Body of M^{rs} MARY BROOKS,
wife of Lieu^t Eleazar Brooks, who departe^d this Life July
y^e 2^d A:D 1769. In the 34th Year of her age.

She departed in a full and triumphant Expectation of a
Glorious Resurrection to a Better Life.

Erected in Memory of MRS. HANNAH BROOKS
wife of Deaⁿ Joshua Brooks, who died Novr. 17, 1806;
Aged 77.

My glass is run.

Sacred To the Memory Of DEACON JOSHUA
BROOKS; Who worthily sustained that Office 26 Years,
In the Church of Christ in this place. In his Life he was
remarkable, For striking Evidences of Piety; For singular
Love to Men; For many and exemplary deeds of kindness
and Liberality, to the Ministers of the Gospel; To the
poor, the Fatherless and the widow. Serene and cheerful
in his Mind; Free obliging and sincere in Conversation;
He commanded genuine Love, and Esteem, From every
humane Heart. Not only his most affectionate Wife, And
numerous Family of dutiful Children, Deeply lamented
his death; But all his extensive and respectable Acquaint-
ance Mourned as for a Brother.

He was born Jan^r 9th 1721, died March 8, 1790, In y^e
70th year of his age.

While this meek Christian in the dust,
We have with sorrow laid, we trust
Few of the Mighty great; or Wise
Shall rise superior in the skies.

Sacred to the memory of M^{rs} MARTHA BROOKS,
Consort of Ensⁿ Joshua Brooks, who died of the smallpox

taken in the natural way Nov^r ye 28th 1792, in the 37th year of her age.

The rose is pluckd, the glass is run!
Lays death the vict'ry I have won!
No for thy prey thou must restore;
And death must die to rise no more.

Sacred to the memory of JOSHUA BROOKS ESQ.
who died Nov. 8, 1825: Æ t. 70

And GEORGE M. BROOKS, son of said Joshua and
Mrs. Sarah Brooks, his wife, who died of the consumption
on his passage from thee Havannah to Boston March 4,
1826: Æ t. 22.

And now shall their dust return to the earth,
Their spirits to God who gave them;
Yet affection shall tenderly cherish their worth
And memory deeply engrave them.

SARAH wife of Joshua Brooks Esq. Died May 6, 1858,
Aged 88½ yrs.

In memory of SUSAN BROOKS, who died Oct. 23,
1836, aged 37.

Prepare to meet thy God. Amos 4-12.

In memory of MR. LEVI BROOKS, who died Sept.
20, 1833, Æ t. 71. S. A. R. 1775.

In memory of MRS. LYDIA, wife of Mr. Levi Brooks,
who died Dec. 19, 1842, Æ t. 80.

Memento mori

Erected in memory of M^r EPHRAIM BROOKS, who
died July 16th 1792, in the 67th y^r of his age.

Reader, behold as you pass by,
 As you are now, so once was I;
 As I am now, so you must be;
 Prepare for Death and follow me.

Erected In memory of MRS. SARAH, widow of Mr. Ephraim Brooks; who died Oct. 27, 1820: Æ t. 89.

Erected In memory of MISS HEPZABETH S. Daug. of Mr. Levi and Mrs. Lydia Brooks; who died Aug. 24, 1825: Æ t. 24.

Also LEVI JR. Son of Mr. Levi and Mrs. Lydia Brooks, died on his passage from New Orleans to Boston June 25, 1820: Æ t. 24.

In memory of MR. HUMPHREY BROOKS, who died April 14, 1850, Æ t. 68.

In memory of two children of Isaac and Sarah Brooks. GEORGE F. died June 28, 1828. JOSHUA F. died July 11, 1829.

Dear babes, your dust must here remain
 Till Jesus call it forth again.

In Memory of JONAS GREENOUGH BROOKS son of M^r Jonas and M^{rs} Rachel Brooks of Pepperrell, who died Sep^t 14th 1788. Aged 11 months.

Memento mori.

Here lies the Body of MISS LYDIA BROOKS, Daughter of Deacon Joshua and M^{rs} Hannah Brooks, who died May 17th 1772. Aged 21 years, 8 months and 15 days.

In memory of MRS. SALLY, wife of Mr. Thomas Brooks, who died July 27, 1820. Æ t. 37.

Memento mori

Here lies the Body of M^{iss} HANNAH BROOKS
Daughter of M^r Joshua and M^{rs} Hannah Brooks, who
departed this Life Dec^r 3^d 1773. Aged 25 years 2 months
and 1 day.

In memory of MISS HANNAH BROOKS, Daughter
of Mr. Aaron and Mrs. Mary Brooks. who died May 22,
1795. in the 34 year of her Age.

Erected In Memory of MR. AARON BROOKS, who
died Feb. 23^d 1811. Æ t. 84. S. A. R. 1775.

In Memory of MRS. MARY BROOKS, wife of Mr.
Aaron Brooks, who died Feb. 8, 1813. Æ t. 81.

Sacred To the Memory of the widow ELIZABETH
BROOKS, the wife of Mr. Noah Brooks, who died July
19, 1796. Æ t. 61.

Arise ye dead

Here lyes Buried the Body of M^r NOAH BROOKS
who departed this Life Feb^{ry} 18th 1790.

He was a virtuous, peaceable, useful member of Society.
His funeral was attended with this mournful circumstance,
—that his Eldest Dau^{tr} M^{rs} Betty Frie, who died in a few
Hours after her Father and was carried to the Grave at
the same time.

Surviving mortals cast your eyes:

See here my mortal body lyes!

And here in dust it must remain,

Till Christ shall bid it rise again.

Though at my death my Dau^{tr} dyed;

Though we lye buried side by side;

Yet contemplate the mansions fair,

Where our Immortal spirits are.

S. A. R. 1775.

The Holy Bible square and compasses.

Sacred To the Memory of MR. NOAH BROOKS, who died June 21, 1809, Æ t. 39.

“Lord I commit my soul to thee
Accept the sacred trust.
Receive this nobler part of me,
And watch my sleeping dust—
Till that illustrious morning come,
When all thy saints shall rise,
And clothed in full immortal bloom,
Attend thee to the skies.”

Exc. by William Farnsworth Groton.

In Memory of MR. TIMOTHY BROOKS, who died June 18, 1803. Æ t. 70.

The sweet remembrance of the just
Shall flourish when they sleep in dust.

S.A.R. 1775.

In Memory of 2 Twins GEORGE BROWN Died March 23^d 1757 Aged 13 Days

ELIJAH BROWN died March 9th 1757—Aged 1 Day
y^e Children of M^r Timothy and M^{rs} Rebeckah Brown.

Memento mori.

Here lies the Body of MR. NATHAN BROWN JUN^r who departed this Life June the 9th A D 1764 in the 40th Year of his Age.

In Memory of M^r NATHAN BROWN, who departed this Life Oct^r 13th 1781. In the 77th year of his age.

In Memory of M^{rs} MARY BROWN (wife of M^r Nathan Brown,) who departed this Life Oct^r 13th 1759. about the 54th year of her age.

In Memory of LUCY BROWN (Daug^t of M^r Nathan Brown and M^{rs} Lucy his wife,) who died Oct^r 23^d 1779 Aged 4 years wanting 7 days.

This pleasant Child was call'd away
To y^e cold grave and there to stay;
Till Christ descend to summons all
That ever died since Adam's fall.

In Memory of MRS. REBECCA BROWN, Relict of Mr. Nathan Brown ^{jun, r} who died Dec. 24, 1811. Æ t. 84.

She lived beloved, and died lamented.

In Memory of CAPT. NATHAN BROWN, who was killed by a Cart wheel Dec. 12, 1814: Æ t. 60.

In memory of Miss Anna Childs who died Oct. 24, 1815. Æ t. 67.

MARY CHILD Died Feb. 5, 1867, Aged 82 yrs.

Sacred to the memory of MR. JOSHUA CHILD, who departed this Life Jan. 6, 1822. Æ t. 73.

Wm. Farnsworth Groton.

S. A. R. 1775.

In memory of LYDIA, Dau. of Joshua and Elizabeth Child, who died Oct. 6, 1792, Æ t. 2 yrs. 8 mos.

Sacred To the Memory of MRS. ELIZABETH CHILD, wife of Mr. Joshua Child, who departed this life May 25, 1824: Æ t. 65.

Sacred to the memory of MR. JOHN CHILD, Son of Mr. Joshua and Mrs. Elizabeth Child, who died July 13, 1825: Æ t. 44.

Therefore be ye also ready: for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of Man cometh.

Memento Mori

Erected to the memory of MISS ELIZABETH, Dau. of Joshua and Elizabeth Child, who died Nov. 5, 1847, Æ t. 59.

Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.

In Memory of MR. WILLIAM CALDWELL who died Novr. 18, 1806 Aged 50.

My heart dissolves with pangs unknown;

In groans I waste my breath:

Thy heavy hand hath brought me down

Low as the dust of death.

In Memory of MISS EDETH CALDWELL Daughter of Mr. William Caldwell and Mrs. Edeth his wife who died July 5, 1798, Aged 17.

Sleep on dear Sister and take thy rest

To call thee home, God saw it best.

ELIZA CAROLINE. Daughter of Jonas W. and Elizabeth H. Colburn, Died Sept. 29, 1832, Æ t. 7 years.

Memento mori

Here lies Interd the remains of CAPT. EBENEZER CUTLER. The superiour intellectual abilities with which he was endowed recommended him to the respect and notice of his fellow men especially of the more wise and knowing. In the publick trust reposed in him, he behaved with fidelity. He was a friend to good order and government, a lover of learning and studious to promote it in this place. He was a constant worshipper of God in his family, and very diligent in his attendance on the publick institutions of religion. In his last sickness which tho long and painful was born by him with great patience, he discovered an ardent thirst after communion with God. And in hope of attaining to the more perfect degrees thereof enjoyed by

the saints in Glory, he expired Jan^y 17th AD 1777. Anno
Ætatis 77.

In Memory of MR. SAMUEL DUDLEY, who died
Jan. 3, 1812, Æ t. 38.

HARRIET ESTY, died July 8, 1863, aged 69 yrs.
2 mos.

ELIZA W. ESTY died May 7, 1862, aged 56 yrs.

BATHSHEBA ESTY died Feb. 14, 1889, aged 78 yrs.

EBENEZER ESTY died Oct. 7, 1831, aged 56 yrs.

BATHSHEBA ESTY, died Sept. 14, 1850, aged 77 yrs.

OLIVER W. ESTY, died July 1, 1868, aged 55 yrs.

Here lies interred the boddy of MR. GEORGE
FARRAR, Who departed this Life May y^e 15, 1760, in the
89th year of his age.

Here lyes y^e Body of LOVE FARRAR, Dau^{tr} of Mr.
George and M^{rs} Mary Farrar, Who died Sep^t y^e 8th 1756,
in y^e 8th Year of her Age.

Here lyes Interred the Remains of the REV^d M^r
GEORGE FARRAR A. M. He was ordained to the
Pastoral office of the Church of Christ in Easton March
26th 1755. He was endowed with Ministerial accomplish-
ments and faithfully improved his Talents as a good
Steward of y^e manifold Grace of God y^e Short Time he
was in his Lords Vineyard was filled with Work and his
Work with Life and Zeal for Gods Glory and y^e Salvation
of y^e Souls of his Flock. His conversation as a Minister
was exemplary, as a Christian most endearing. He was
Steady in his Friendship and his whole Deportment so
amiable that he was much honor'd and belov'd and his

Death was greatly lamented, which was on Sep^t 17th 1756.
Ætatis 26.

In memory of MRS. LYDIA FARRAR, wife of Dea. Samuel Farrar, who died June 27, AD. 1802: Æ t. 90.

Here lie buried the Remains of DEACⁿ SAMUEL FARRAR, For many years an Officer of the Church of Christ in this Town. He used the office of a Deacon well, to the approbation of his Brethren, He was a friend of the Poor; A Pattern of domestic Virtues; An example of Temperance and Sobriety; And of constant attendance on the Duties of Religion. He died with pleasing hope of future Happiness Thro' the Merits of the Great Redeemer, April 18th in the year of our Lord 1783: and 75th of his Age.

Why should we, in this gloomy Vale of tears,
Lament the Saints whom Jesus calls away;
Far from this World of Sorrows Pains and Fears,
To blissful feats of Everlasting Day.

S. A. R. 1775.

In memory of REBECCA FARRAR, Only Daught of Deacon Samuel Farrar and M^{rs} Mercy his Wife, who died July 5 1784, Aged 1 year, 7 Months and 14 Days.

Fare well sweet Babe
we hope to meet above,
and there with you
Sing the Redeemers love.

In memory of THOMAS and DAVID FISK, sons of M^r David and M^{rs} Rebekah Fisk;

Thomas died Au^g 1778, in y^e 3^d y^r of his age
David died De^c 1780 in y^e 13th y^r of his age.

In Memory of M^{rs} REBEKAH FISK, wife of M^r David Fisk, who died of the small-pox taken the natural way Dec^r 29th 1792, in y^e 47th y^r of her age.

Friends and physicians could not save,
My mortal body from the grave;
Nor can the grave confine me here,
When Christ shall call me to appear.

In memory of M^r DAVID FISK who died April 11, 1800: Ætatis 68.

His mind was tranquil and serene,
No terror in his looks were seen,
His Saviour's smile dispelled the gloom,
And smooth'd the passage to the tomb.

Erected In Memory of MR. DAVID FISKE who died July 26, 1806 Æt. 22.

In memory of MISS SUKEY FISK, Daught of David and Rebecca Fisk; who died Nov^r 7th 1803: Ætatis 22.

My dearest friends your grief forbear
Nor shed for me one mournful tear
But for your greatest change prepare
That you may end all sorrows here.

In memory of LUCY H. dau^r of Cap. John Flint, of Walpole and adopted dau^r of Andrew and Polly Adams. who died Oct. 31, 1822, Æt. 12.

Erected In Memory of MR. SOLOMON FOSTER who died June 8, 1790: Æt. 47.

Also MRS. REBECCA FOSTER, his wife who died June 26, 1815: Æt. 64.

Come near my friends and read a word,
You all must shortly die;
Prepare to meet your Saviour God,
And reign with him on high.

In memory of M^{rs} BETTY FRY Consort of M^r Timothy Fry Dau^{tr} of M^r Noah Brooks who died Feb^{ry} 18th 1791. In the 28th Year of her age.

Tis at thy word almighty God

Thy children must resign their breath

Then we submit and kiss the rod

When dearest kindred yield to death.

Memento mori.

In Memory of M^r ABRAHAM GEARFIELD son of M^r Thomas Gearfield and M^{rs} Rebecca his wife who departed this Life Aug^t 15th 1775 In the 28 year of his age.

Under these clods my Body doth lie

Though in my Prime yet I must die

It was Gods will it should be so

Therefore take warning all below.

S. A. R. 1775.

Memento mori

In Memory of M^r THOMAS GEARFIELD, who departed this Life January. 3^d, 1774. In the 62^d year of his age.

The sin of Adam's laid me low,

For sin hath wrought an overthrow;

From dust I came to dust Im come

And now the dust's become my home

When Christ comes down with saints to reign

Then dust me no more shall detain.

Here lyes y^e Body of M^{rs} REBECKAH GEARFIELD Consort to M^r Thomas Gearfield Who departed this Life Feb^{ry} the 3^d 1763, in y^e 43^d Year of Her Age.

She was Virtuous in Life and Submissive at Death.

Here lies Buried y^e Body of M^{rs} SARAH GERRISH relict Widow of M^r Samuel Gerrish of Boston who De-

parted this Life February y^e 14th 1764. In y^e 73^d year of her Age.

DANIEL HAGER (Son of Capt. John and Mrs. Eunice Hager of Gerry.) Died at Lincoln 13 Oct. 1811. E. 23. Stone broken.

In memory of SARAH CAROLINE daugh. of Mr. Elisha and Mrs. Priscilla Hagar, who died Dec. 16, 1827: Æ t. 9 mo. and 13 days.

The saviour owns young children's names
And in his kingdom grants a place;
Who then shall dare reject their claims,
Or doubt the riches of his grace!

MR. SIMON HARDY, died Jan. 1, 1830, Æ t. 53.

In memory of ANNA HARRINGTON, widow of Capt. Daniel Harrington, who died June 30, 1846; aged 94.

Why then their loss deplore that are not lost.

Sacred to the memory of CAP. DANIEL HARRINGTON, who died Aug. 6. 1818. Æ t. 68.

Sickness sore long time I bore
Physicians were in vain
Till death did seize and God did pleas
To ease me of my pain.

S. A. R. 1775.

In memory of MRS. HEPZIBAH widow of the late Dea. John Hartwell who died March 13, 1837; Æ t. 84.

Soft was the moment, and serene,
That all her sufferings clos'd;
No agony, or struggle seen,
No features discompos'd.

LYDIA HARTWELL, Died Mar. 5, 1855, Aged 70.

"He giveth his beloved sleep."

T. Warren Lowell.

Sacred to the memor of DEA. JOHN HARTWELL
who died Nov. 2, 1820. Æ t. 73.

Lord I commit my soul to thee

Accept the sacred trust,

Receiv this nobler part of me

And watch my sleeping dust.

In memory of WILLIAM B. HARTWELL, son of
Capt. John and Hebzibah Hartwell, who died Jany. 29,
1815: aged 22 years.

When fond affection hovering o'er the dead
Walks through the church yard path with pensive tread
Read here and there the sad memoreal strain,
Recalls each favorite friend and weeps again,
O'er thy lorn grave tenderest tears shall flow
While Requiem sighs are mingl'd with our woe!
Thy virtues promis'd and thy looks confess'd;
Years would be thine, with hope and friendship bless'd:
But death, alas, in manhoods blooming hour
Struck thee, resigned beneath religion power!

In Memory of W'D. ELIZABETH HARTWELL,
wife of Ephraim Hartwell, who died June 9, 1808. Æ t. 95.

Life is a blessing can't be sold,

The ransom is too high;

Justice will ne'er be bribed with Gold,

That man may never die.

Sacred To the memory of CORNET. EPHRAIM
HARTWELL who died May 7, 1793, after a long and
painful illness, which he bore with Christian fortitude in

full hope of a glorious Resurrection, in the 87 y^r of his Age.

But yesterday an active saint
 To-day a lifeless clod,
 To-morrow quit this dark restraint
 And wing away to God.

In memory of LIEUT. JOHN HOAR. Departed this Life May 16, 1786. Æt. 80. S. A. R. 1775.

In memory of MRS. ELIZABETH HOAR wife of Lieut. John Hoar, Departed this Life March 20, 1791. Æt. 71.

With patience Lord we bore thy hand
 Till thou did'st set us free
 Resigned our breath at thy command
 Hoping to dwell with thee.

In memory of MRS. EUNICE HOAR, wife of Mr. Leonard Hoar: Departed this Life May 16, 1820. Æt. 57.

Sickness sore long time I bore,
 Physicians were in vain;
 Till Death did seize and God did please
 To ease me of my pain.

LEONARD HOAR, Died December 12, 1842, Æt. 84 yrs.

He passed in the fulness of days, to rest,
 To the home of the soul, in the land of the blest,
 Oh! why should we mourn, that in infinite love
 Our Father thus called him to mansions above.

I. Warren, Lowell.

In memory of MISS ELIZABETH HOAR, Daug^r of Lieut. John Hoar, Departed this Life Jan. 18, 1821, Æt. 74.

SAMUEL HOAR d. 1832 a. 88
 his wife Susanna d. 1829 a. 77
 their children ELIZABETH HOAR d. 1811 a. 31
 POLLY FISKE FARRAR d. 1813 a. 22
 NATHANIEL PIERCE HOAR d. 1820 a. 36
 JOHN HOAR d. 1831 a. 42
 LEVINA HOAR d. 1876 a. 82

ABIJAH HOAR PIERCE b. 1782 d. 1860
 his wife SARAH HARTWELL PIERCE b. 1788 d.
 1871
 their children SARAH HARTWELL b. 1822 d. 1830
 HELEN FRANCES wife of James Van Voast b. 1833
 d. 1859
 her son HOWARD REMSEN b. 1857 d. 1867
 HENRY HUNTINGTON son of John H. and Mary
 E. Pierce b. 1863 d. 1867
 WILLIAM HOAR PIERCE d. 1859 a. 73
 his wife MARIA BEMIS PIERCE d. 1853 a. 61

SUSANNA HOAR GRAY d. 1858 a. 84
 her children WILLIAM D. d. 1808 a. 3
 SUSAN P. d. 1872 a. 69
 GROSVENOR TARBELL M.D. d. 1822 a. 54
 his wife THANKFUL HOAR TARBELL d. 1861
 a. 84
 their children LOUISA d. 1825 a. 23
 MARY ELIZABETH d. 1818 a. 4

Here Lie JOHN HOAR b. 1707 d. 1786 Great Great
 Grandson of Charles Hoar Sheriff of Gloucester England
 who d. 1638

ELIZABETH his wife b. 1720 d. 1791
 COL. ABIJAH PIERCE b. 1727 d. 1800
 THANKFUL his wife b. 1730 d. 1819

In memory of JOHN HUNT JUN^r Son of John and Mary Hunt, died Sept 6th 1806. Æ 3 Years and 4 mo^s

Sleep on sweet babe and take thy rest

To call thee home God saw it best.

Sacred to the memory of MRS. ADAH HUNT. wife of Mr. Newell Hunt, who died March 7, 1818. Æ t. 37.

Erected In Memory of MR. SAMUEL HUNT, who died April 4, 1812 in the 38 year of his age.

Mother — Father

THOMAS HURD died Sept. 3, 1863, aged 79 years.

MARY W. his wife died Feb. 25, 1871, aged 84 yrs.

In memory of ALFRED, Son of Mr. Thomas and Mrs. Mary Hurd; who died June 5, 1821: Æ t. 8 years.

Memento Mori.

In Memory of The REV^d WILLIAM LAWRENCE A. M. Pastor of the Church of Christ in Lincoln who died April 11th 1780 in the 57: year of his Age, and 32^d of his Ministry. He was a gentleman of good Abilities both natural and acquired; a judicious Divine a faithful Minister, and firm Supporter of the Order of these Churches. In his last Sickness which was long and distressing, he exhibited a Temper characteristic of the Minister and the Christian.

Be thou faithful unto Death, and

I will give thee a Crown of Life.

MRS. LOVE LAWRENCE Widow of Rev. William Lawrence. Died Jan. 3, 1820, in the 95th. year of her age.

In Memory of JOSEPH S. LEARY, Son of Mr. John,
and Mrs. Joanna Leary, who died April 2, 1809. Æ 17 D.

How soon alas our comforts fly,
Our pleasure only blooms to die.

My Glass is run

C. R. M.

To the memory of MISS CATHERINE REED
MARTIN, only Daught. of Doctor Joseph and M^{rs}
Prissilla Martin, Who after a short Life in which she
maintained unusual steadiness of Temper, delicacy of De-
portment, and accuracy of Morals, Enduring a long and
painful Sickness with exemplary composure of Mind, met
Death as a Friend November 17, 1804: Ætatis 27.

Her friends, as a testimony of love for her virtues, have
erected this monument.

In memory of MR. JOSEPH MASON, who died May
13, 1789, aged 75.

God my Redeemer lives.

And often from the skies

Looks down and watches all my dust

Till he shall bid it rise.

GRACE B. Relict of Joseph Mason, Died Aug. 11,
1801, Æ t. 79 yrs.

Return my friends dry up your tears,

Here I must lie 'till Christ appears.

I. Warren, Lowell.

Memento mori

In Memory of M^{rs} MARY MEAD, wife of M^r David
Mead, who departed this Life Jan^{ry} 6th 1780. In the 52^d
year of her age.

EMERSON P. son of Benjamin F. and Sally P. Nealy,
died June 20, 1834. Æ t. 1 yr. 3 ms.

Sacred to the memory of MR. JOSEPH NIXON, JR.
son of Cap. Joseph and Mrs. Nancy Nixon, who died Oct.
12 1817; Æ t. 23.

MRS. NANCY W. NIXON, Born Oct. 28, 1777.
Died Dec. 18, 1869. Aged 92.

Sacred to the memory of MR. FRANCIS PARK, who
died May 1, 1826: Æ t. 28.

Be ye also ready; for in such an hour as
ye know not the son of man cometh.

MRS. LURANA wife of Daniel Parks, died Feb. 7,
1860, Æ t. 93.

In memory of CADY PARKS son of Mr. Willard and
Mrs. Lucy Parks. who departed this life Sept. 27th 1797.
Aged 20 years and 7 months

The sweet remembrance of the just
Will flourish whilst he sleeps in dust.

Erected In Memory of MR. DANIEL PARKS, who
died April 24, 1823; Æ t. 57.

With patience Lord I bore thy hand
Till thou didst set me free,
Resigned my breath at thy command!
Hoping to dwell with thee.

In Memory of M^{rs} REBECCA PARK^s Dau^r of M^r
Daniel Park^s and M^{rs} Lydia his Wife, Who died Dec^r y^e
5th 1781: in the 18th Year of her age.

O Youthful Friends as You Go By
and See Where My Young Body lies
tho You are Young Yet You Must die
And Turn to Dust as Well as I.

Memento mori

In Memory of M^{rs} HANNAH PARK^s wife of Lieu^t James Parks who died Aug^t 21st 1778. In y^e 27th year of her age.

Here lyes Buried the Body of M^r NATHAN PARKS. Who Departed this Life April y^e 27th 1760, in y^e 28th Year of His Age.

The eye of him that hath seen me, shall see me no more. As y^e cloud is consumed, and vanisheth away: so he that goeth down to y^e grave, shall come up no more. Job. VII. 8-9.

MRS. DOLLY B. PATCH, wife of Stephen Patch, Esq. and formerly widow Noah Brooks, died at Concord Feb. 9, 1847, aged 75 years.

Sleep on my friend and take your rest,
God called you home when he thought best.

Death's a sweet sleep to all the just,
Their bodies die and turn to dust:
Their spirits soar to God above,
And ever sing redeeming love.

To the Memory of DOCTOR RICHARD RUSSELL, Who, for the space of 18 years, Exercised the Art of Physic in this Town; With good Success. And was a laudable Example Of humane attention to the poor. His wife and numerous Family Were suddenly deprived of his Affection and support And the Public of his Services, By his being accidentally drowned. He was born Feb. 15, 1751, And died Aug. 12, 1796, in the 46 year of his age.

His sorrowful Widow, As a testimony of her Respect and affection, Erected this Monument.

Grim Death sworn foe to beings of a day
Forever sure of us his destined Prey.

Relentless who his Iron Sceptre bears
 Deaf to the Orphan's cries and widow's Tears
 Laid by those Darts whence Russell's art might save
 And; instant plung'd him in the Watry Grave.

MRS. ELIZABETH, wife of Dr. Richard Russell,
 died May 25, 1838; Æ t. 86.

In Memory of D DANIEL RUSSELL, Son of Dr
 Richard and M^{rs} Elizab^h Russell, who died July 26th 1782:
 Aged 3 years and 14 days.

Early in Life my God hath call'd me home
 To sound his praise and bow before his throne.

In memory of ELIZABETH RUSSELL daughter of
 Doctor Richard and Mrs. Elizabeth Russell. who died with
 the small-pox Oct. 17, 1792, in the 6th year of her age.

ELIZABETH RUSSELL Daughter of Dr Richard and
 M^{rs} Elizabeth Russell, died Jan^r 15th 1784: Aged 7 months
 and 23 days.

In Memory of CHARLES RUSSELL Son of Doct
 Richard and Elizabeth Russell who died Augst 2^d 1802
 In the 25th Year of his Age.

Yes thou art blest while here we heave the sigh
 Thy death is virtue wafted to the sky
 And still thy image fond affection keeps
 The friend remembers and the mother weeps.

In Memory of DANIEL RUSSELL thSeckond, Son of
 Doct. Richard, and Mrs. Elizabeth Russell, who died Nov.
 5, 1811 Æ t. 20.

Tho now in youth, yet die I must,
 And go to dwell among the just.

In Memory of MR. RICHARD RUSSELL, Son of Dr. Richard Russell, and Mrs. Elizabeth his wife; who died June 21, 1815: Æ t. 25.

Richard, thy mother consecrates this stone
A mark of friendship, and of love sincere,
While in her memory thou will ever bloom
And in her heart forever will be dear.

In Memory of MISS. MARY RUSSELL, Daug^t of Dr. Richard Russell and Elizabeth his wife, who died Sept. 4, 1821. Æ t. 33.

Blessed are the dead
who die in the Lord.

In memory of MRS. LUCY, wife of Mr. Jonathan Smith, who died Dec. 30, 1822 Æ t. 77.

JONATHAN SMITH, Died July 12, 1832, Æ t. 84.

JONATHAN SMITH JR Died Jan. 6, 1851, Æ t. 69.

*—SMITH died June 17, 1861, Æ t. 76

*(Stone broken)

In memory of MR. LEONARD STEARNS, who died March 31, 1834; Æ t. 46 years.

Also of M^{rs} SARAH, wife of M^r Leonard Stearns; who died June 13, 1846; Æ t. 59 years.

“And they shall be mine saith the Lord
of hosts, in the day when I make up my
Jewels, and I will spare them as a man
spareth his own son that serveth him.”

A. Cary, Boston.

WILLIAM H. Son of Mr. Daniel H. and Mrs. Sally Stratton died Jan. 16, 1825. Æ t. 17 ds.

Sacred to the memory of MRS. SUSANNA STEARNS, relict of the Rev. Charles Stearns D. D. who died July 24, 1832; in the 78th year of her age.

Mrs. Stearns was a descendant of the first minister of Reading. Although destined to move in a humble sphere, yet, by the amiable qualities of her heart and a highly cultivated mind, she was distinguished; and her society sought for and admired by those in the highest stations. Severe trials awaited her through a long pilgrimage, but she sustained them with christian fortitude and resignation; and in the full possession of her mental faculties, she spent the last years of her life in a calm preparation for her departure.

This monument erected by this Town in memory of their Late pastor, the REV. CHARLES STEARNS, D. D. who died July 26, 1826, in the 75 year of his age, and 45 of his ministry.

He was distinguished for high attainments in various branches of science; for strength and soundness of mind: for method and accuracy in reasoning, and facility in communicating knowledge. By his piety, benevolence, and learning he gained the affection and respect of his beloved people, the esteem and confidence, of his numerous friends, and the well deserved honors of literary societies. His life was full of practical goodness; the genuine fruit of deep felt piety, and his death, of religious hope and peace. By the habitual exercise of faith, humility, patience, and charity, he exhibited christianity, in a strong and permanent light, and is gone, it is believed, to enjoy the rewards of a good and faithful servant of Jesus Christ.

In Memory of JAMES STEPHENSON, a Native of Scotland; who died Augst 8th 1806.

In memory of ELIZA FRANCIS STEARNS, daughter
of Rev. Charles Stearns, D.D. Born Feb. 13, 1791. Died
Nov. 21, 1844.

In memory of Lucretia Tolman Daugh^t of Elisha and
Lucretia Tolman; who died June 2, 1801: Ætatis 14
months.

Farewell sweet babe,
Till we shall meet above;
And there with you
Sing the redeemers love.

M^{rs} SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD 176 (stone broken)

In Memory of Susanna Fox WASTON (Daughter of
M^r Nathan and M^{rs} Abigail Waston who Died April y^e
29th 1784. Aged 9 weeks.

Memento mori

In memory of M^r JOHN WESSON son of Ensⁿ
Timoth^y Wesson and M^{rs} Abigail his wife, who Died Nov^r
14th 1777 Æt. 27.

Memento mori

Here lies Interr'd y^e Remains of M^{rs} HANNAH
WESSON wife of M^r Stephen Wesson, who departed this
Life Nov^r 19th 1776. In the 83^d year of her age.

Memento mori

Here lies the Remains of M^r STEPHEN WESSON,
who departed this Life May 6th 1776. In y^e 56th year of
his age.

Frail man as soon as born decays
Like flow'rs that quickly fade.
He counts a few and troublous day^s
Then passes like a shade.

In memory of CAPT. ZECHARIAH WESTON.
who died Aug. 13th, 1833; aged 83.

MARY, his wife, died Sept. 30th, 1809; aged 48.

S. A. R. 1775.

Erected In memory of Mr. Stephen Weston, who died
Dec^r y^e 28th 1789, In the 100th year of his age.

Sacred to the memory of MISS HARIET Daug. of
Mr. Nathan and Mrs. Abigail Weston: who died March
9, 1826: Æ t. 40:

With patience Lord we bore thy hand,
Till thou didst set us free:
Resigned our breath at thy command,
Hoping to dwell with thee.

Sacred to the memory of MR. NATHAN WESTON
who died Dec. 8, 1825. Æ t. 74. S. A. R. 1775.

In memory of MRS. ABIGAIL WESTON, wife of
Mr. Nathan Weston who died March 9, 1787. Æ t. 31.

Also MRS. ANNA WESTON, Second wife of Mr.
Nathan Weston who died Novr. 27 1800. Æ t. 36.

In Memory of MRS. MARY WHEELER, wife of
Mr. Elisha Wheeler, who died Feb. 26, 1791, Aged 32.

Death is a debt to nature due,
Which I have paid and so must you.

Erected in memory of MR. ELISHA WHEELER, who
died Jan. 26, 1794, Aged 43.

Friends and physicians could not save
My mortal body from the grave,
Nor can the grave confine me here,
When Christ shall call me to appear.

Sacred To the Memory of MISS SUSAN WHEELER,
Daugh^{ht} of Mr. Abner and Mrs. Elizabeth Wheeler, who
died April 8. 1812 Æ t. 26. or 20

In Memory of MRS. ELIZABETH WHEELER,
wife of Mr. Abner Wheeler, who died March 3. 1811. Æ t.
63.

Sacred to the memory of MR. ABNER WHEELER,
who died May 20, 1820. Æ t. 74.

LUCY Wife of Abner Wheeler Died July 23, 1855,
Aged 99 Yrs.

ALONZO WHEELER son of Mr. Edmond and Mrs.
Elizabeth Wheeler, who died May 9th 1818, Æ t. 5 years
10 months.

Like roses cropt before their bloom
He's carried to the silent Tomb.

In memory of LUCRETIA, daughter of Edmund and
Elizabeth Wheeler; who died Feb. 21, 1830: Æ t. 12 years
and 10 mo.

Although the parent's breast with grief be torn,
Brethren and sisters too, be called to mourn,
Yet faith submits, and bears the heavy rod,
Trusting the promise of a faithful God.

WILLIAM F. WHEELER March 11 1812 Oct. 10
1890

HANNAH HALL Wife of William F. Wheeler Dec.
6 1815 April 21 1858
Wheeler.

JULIA, only child of William F. and Hannah H.
Wheeler, Died July 4, 1850: Aged 18 months.

"One little bud adorned our bowe1,
 And shed sweet fragrance round:
 It grew in beauty, hour by hour,
 Till, ah! the spoiler came in power,
 And crushed it to the ground.
 Yet not forever in the dust
 This beauteous bud shall lie;
 No!—in the garden of the just,
 Beneath God's glorious eye we trust,
 'Twill bloom again on high."

A. Cary, Boston.

MRS. JULIA WHEELER, Died Feb. 7, 1856; Aged 69 years.

"Leaves have their time to fall,
 And flowers to wither at the North wind's breath,
 And stars to set—but all,
 Thou hast all seasons for thine own, O Death!"

CHARLES WHEELER, Esq. Died July 6, 1848; Aged 75 years.

"Leaves have their time to fall,
 And flowers to wither at the North Wind's breath,
 And stars to set—but all,
 Thou hast all seasons for thine own, O Death!"

GEO. HENRY WHEELER died November 4, 1811, aged 22 years.

JULIA WHEELER died June 24, 1842, aged 31 years.

Blessed are the pure in heart
 for they shall see God.

A. Cary Fecit, Boston.

Memento mori

In Memory of M^{rs} ABIGAIL WHITHED, Wife to
 Mr. John Whithed. she died y^e 3^d of May; 1773, in y^e 31st
 Year of her Age.

In memory of two children of Mr. Nathan and Mrs. Martha Whitney.

ELISHA E. died Nov. 20, 1814 Æ t. 33d^s.

CHARLES H. died Nov. 20, 1820. Æ t. 9 mo.

These lovely bud^s so young and fair
Cald hence by earley doom
Just come to show how sweet a flower
In paradise would bloom.

In Memory of MISS LYDIA WINCHUP, Daut. of Mr. Benjamin, and Mrs. Lydia Winchup, who died Feb. 27, 1797. Æ t. 16.

Blooming youth a lovely flower,
Death approaching every hour;
When the last sound of time is run
Without a Saviour you'r undone.

In memory of MR. BENJAMIN WINCHUP, who died April 3, 1819. Æ t. 64.

Why do we mourn departing friends,
Or shake at death's alarms;
'Tis but 'the voice that Jesus sends,
To call them to his arms.

Here Lies Buried The Body of M^{rs} HANNAH WYMAN Wife of M^r Samuel Wyman Who Departed This Life Fe^b ye 3 A D 1757. In ye 26 year of Her Age.

GIDEON P. WOODS died Jan. 10, 1810. Æ t. 1 year 7 months.

GEORGE WOODS died Aug't 13, 1818. Æ t 6 years.

Sons of Mr. Nehemiah and Mrs. Mary Woods.

Farewell dear Children we part in pain
We only part to meet again.

SECOND TOWN CEMETERY

Erected in memory of MRS. SARAH, wife of Mr. Nehemiah Abbot; who died March 12, 1823: Æ t. 68.

MR. NEHEMIAH ABBOTT, died Oct. 28, 1839, Æ t. 85. S. A. R. 1775.

Memento mori

Here Lies the Body of M^r. NEHEMIAH ABBOT^t Who departed this Life Febr^r 16th 1767. In the 70th year of his age.

And also the Body of M^{rs}. SARAH ABBOT, wife of M^r. Nehemiah Abbot who departed this Life October, 4th 1755. In the 63^d Year of her age.

Erected In memory of MR. JOSEPH ABBOT, who died June 23, 1794: Æ t. 67. S. A. R. 1775.

Memento mori

In Memory of M^{rs}. HANNAH ABBOT (wife of M^r. Joseph Abbot) who departed this Life July y^e 4th 1784 In the 55th year of her age.

In memory of MISS ABIGAIL, third daughter of Mr. Joseph and Mrs. Hannah Abbot; who died April 4, 1784: Æ t. 19.

In memory of MARY BENJAMIN, who died Nov. 28, 1833, Æ t. 45.

Though here my body lies in dust,
Yet in my saviour I did trust;
That he would take me home to rest,
To dwell forever with the blest.

MISS BETSEY BENJAMIN died July 31, 1851,
Æt. 51.

In memory of MR. WILLIAM BENJAMIN, who
died Dec. 4, 1820. Æt. 57.

MRS. BEULAH, wife of William Benjamin, died Aug.
31, 1838, Æt. 71.

In memory of SIPPION BRISTER a man of Colour
who died Nov. 1, 1820. Æt. 64.

FIVE BRITISH SOLDIERS slain April 19, 1775
were buried here. Erected by the Town of Lincoln 1884.

In memory of MISS ABIGAIL BROWN, Daughter
of Mr. Ephraim Brown and Mrs. Elizabeth his wife; who
died March 19, 1812: Æt. 18.

In Memory of MISS BETSEY BROWN, who died
June 22, 1814: Æt. 30.

In Memory of MR. EPHRAIM BROWN, who died
March 3, 1813. Æt. 56.

In memory of Mr. JOSEPH BROWN, who departed
this life April 2^d 1788 aged 70 years.

The sweet remembrance of the Just
Shall flourish when they sleep in dust.

In Memory of MR. WILLIAM BROWN son of Mr.
Ephraim Brown and Mrs. Elizabeth his wife; who died
May 20, 1807: Æt. 21.

Here Lies Buried y^e Body of JOSEPH BROOKS JUN^r
Only Son of Mr Joseph and Mrs Jane Brooks who Dec^d
Septm^{br} y^e 7th Anno Dom 1749 in y^e 24th Year of His Age.

Here Lies Buried The Body of MR^s JANE BROOKS
Consort of M^r Joseph Brooks Who Dec^d Nov^r The 16 A D
1753 In The 70 Year of Hir Age.

Here lyes Interr'd the Body of M^r. JOSEPH BROOKS;
of Lincoln, Who Departed this Life Sept^r the 17th 1759.
in y^e 78th Year of His Age.

In His Life time he was a Liberal Benefactor to y^e Town
of Lincoln, Manifested by His Generous Donations.

Here lyes Buried the Body of DEACON JOSHUA
BROOKS who departed this Life June the 26, 1768 in y^e
80th year of His Age.

Here lyes y^e Body of M^{rs}. LYDIA BROOKS Wife to
M^r. Joshua Brooks Who departed this Life June the 25th.
1750 Aged 56 Years.

SAMUEL BROOKS 1765.

Erected In Memory of MRS. BERIAH CHILD who
died March 16, 1816, Æ t. 59.

Here Lies Buried The Body of M^{rs} RUTH CLARK
Wife of M^r Judah Clark Who Departed This Life
February y^e 2: A. D. 1752 Age 70 years and 12 Days.

Memento mori

Here lyes buried the Body of M^{rs} LOVE FLINT,
Relict of the late M^r Edward Flint decea^{sd}

As she was a Woman of exemplary Piety, of universal
benevolence and of great compassion of heart to the needy
and distressed: she lived much reputed by her neighbours
and acquaintance and dyed greatly lamented Oct^r 25th
A D 1772. Anno Æ tatis 73.

Here Lies Buried M^r EDWARD FLINT Who
Departed This Life Nov^r 15th A D 1754. Anno Etatis 70
As He Was Apparently Pious Just Humane and Steady In
His Conduct He Lived Beloved and Died Lamented.

Memento mori

Here lies the remains of M^r ABEL FLINT A.B. who
departed this Life Jan 27th 1789.

He was remarkably pleasing to his Acquaintance, for his
unaffected Modesty and singular decency of Manners; the
well-known Evidences of a sensible and delicate mind. his
qualities as a Gentleman and Scholar, raised the Expecta-
tions of his Friends but when he was just establishing
himself in Business, he died lamented, In the 31st year of his
age.

Man may design but God determines All.

In memory of MISS RUTH FLINT, who died March
1, 1838, Æt. 77.

Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.

A. Davis Harvard.

Hora fugit.

Here lye interred the remains of M^r EPHRAIM
FLINT A. M. who Departed this Life Dec^r 26th A. D.
1762. Anno Ætatis 49.

He was a Gentleman Descended from a family of dis-
tinction in this Countrey from its beginning and son of
Coll^e John Flint of Concord, he was just in his dealings,
compassionate and liberal towards his neighbors, he pro-
fessed a sacred regard to the Christian religion and was
steady in his attendance on the publick institutions thereof.

Man goeth to his long home and the mourners go about
the streets.

Memento mori

In Memory of M^{rs} KATHARINE FLINT (wife of M^r Ephraim Flint) who died Oct^r 18th 1785; In the 34th year of her age.

In hope to sing without a sob,
The anthem ever new,
I gladly bid the dusty globe,
And vain delights Adieu.

Erected In Memory of M^r EPHRAIM FLINT, who died Sept. 1, 1824: In the 80, year of his age. S.A.R. 1775.

MRS. REBECCA, wife of Mr. Ephraim Flint, died April 2, 1843, Æ t. 82.

Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.

AUGUSTA M. Dau. of Ephraim and Susan Flint, died Sept. 18, 1837; Æ t. 2 yrs.

For of such is the kingdom of Heaven.

MARY, daughter of Eph^m and Susan Flint, died Sept. 7, 1846, aged 19 years.

"It is well."

Mother:

"My peace I give unto you."

SUSAN, wife of Ephraim Flint, Died May 15, 1878, Aged 81 yrs. 10 mos. 26 days.

Father

"I am the resurrection and the life."

EPHRAIM FLINT, Died Oct. 9, 1871, Æ t. 89 y'rs, 8 mo's, 16 days.

KATHARINE, daughter of Ephr'm and Kath'ne Flint, Born April 2, 1773, Died Nov. 2, 1862.

Memento mori.

In Memory of MISS SUSANNA FOX (Daughter of Mr Jacob Fox and Mrs Abigail his wife) who Died April 10th 1784 Aged 25 Years.

Here lies the Body of Mr JACOB FOX, who died June 11th 1777: Aged 59 years and 6 months.

Also 2 Children of the above named Jacob, (and Mrs Abigail his wife:) SUSANNA died Febr^r 24th 1760: Aged 5 mon^s: Hannah died March 24th 1774: Aged 17 Mon^s: They lie, at y^e foot of their father's Grave.

In memory of WIDOW ABIGAIL FOX Relict of Mr. Jacob Fox who died Augt. 30, 1812 Æ t. 86.

Sacred to the memory of MRS. JANE, wife of Mr. Nath^l Gove, who died Jan. 20, 1827; Æ t. 49.

Here Lyes Buried y^e Body of Mr JONATHAN GOVE; Who Departed this Life Decem^{br} 22nd A.D. 1747 in y^e 67th Year of His Age.

Sacred to the memory of WESLEY, son of Nathl. and Jane Gove, who died Jan. 4, 1833: Æ t. 35.

Memento mori

Here Lies the Body of Mr JOHN GEARFIELD, who departed thi^s Life May 1st 1767. In the 49th year of his age.

In Memory of Mrs THANKFUL GEARFIELD (wife of Mr John Gearfield) who died April 16th 1790, In the 72^d year of her age.

Reader, behold as you pass by,
As you are now so once was I
As I am now so you must be
Prepare for death and follow me.

In memory of ISAAC GOODENOUGH, who died
June 3, 1836; Æ t. 77.

The sweet remembrance of the just,
Shall flourish though they sleep in dust.

In memory of MR. ISAAC GOODNOUGH who died
June 10, 1821, Æ t. 87.

And of MRS. LYDIA wife of Mr. Isaac Goodenough
Jr who died June 8, 1821, Æ t. 52.

Come thou long expected Jesus,
Born to set thy people free,
From our fears and sins relieve us,
Let us find our rest in thee.

In memory of MR. SAMUEL HARTWELL, who died
Aug. 12, 1829: Æ t. 87.

Man goeth to his long home, and the mourners go about
the streets. S. A. R. 1775.

WIDOW MARY HARTWELL Died July 21, 1846,
Æ t. 98.

LUCY HARTWELL Died Sept. 2, 1838, Æ t. 84.

Here Lies Buried y^e Body of MR^s MARY HEADLEY
y^e Wife of Mr John Headley who Dec^d July y^e 15th A D
1749 In y^e 62^d Year of Her Age.

Erected in Memory of MR. ELI JONES, who died
May 9, 1811. Æ t. 55

Behold! and see as you pass by,
As you are now, so once was I;
As I am now, so you must be,
Prepare for death and follow me.

Engraved by Sam^l Kilburn at Concord
(Found beside stone wall)

12 foot

PETER JONES, Son of Jonas and Abigail Jones, Born in Lunenburg Feb. 28, 1783, Died in Lincoln, March 12, 1824.

ISAIH KIDDER, born March 18, 1811, died Nov. 30, 1822.

Here Lyes Buried y^e Body of M^{rs} EAME MASON
Wife of M^r Daniel Mason; Who Departed this Life May
23, 1750 in the 44th Year of Her Age.

Memento mori

Here lies the Remains of M^r BENJⁿ MUNROE of
Lincoln, who Departed this Life Aprill 6th A D. 1766 in
the 76th Year of his Age.

from deaths arist no Age
is free.

son of Wm. & Mary of Lex—
Great-grandfather of Betsey & Mary Stearns

CHARLES, Son of Pliny and Catherine Newhall, Died
Jan. 22, 1837, Æ t. 19 yrs. 8 ms.

In memory of two children of Mr. Plina and Mrs.
Catharine Newhall:

JOSEPH, died Jan. 16, 1825; Æ t. 5 months.

SAMUEL, died April 5, 1827, Æ t. 6 years and 8
months.

CADY PARKS Son of M^r Stephen and M^{rs} Abigail
Parks; Died May 4th 1753 Aged 3 Years. 3 Months. and
13 days.

GREGORY STONE, died April 10, 1782, aged 53
years.

HEPZIBAH STONE, his widow, died April 22, 1783, aged 55 years.

HEPZIBAH, daughter of Gregory and Hepzibah Stone, died June 11, 1782, aged 26 years.

TIMOTHY, son of Gregory and Hepzibah Stone, died Sept. 5, 1780, aged 22 years.

GREGORY, Son of Gregory and Lucy Stone, Born April 19, 1793, Died Aug. 10, 1870.

EDITH Z. PATCH, Widow of Gregory Stone Born Oct. 24, 1808. Died Nov. 22, 1892.

LUCY STONE, Wife of Gregory Stone, Died June 23, 1851, Aged 86 yrs. and 8 ms.

LUCY HALL STONE dau. of Gregory and Lucy Stone Born July 4, 1791, Died Oct. 3, 1880.

In Memory of MR. GREGARY STONE, died April 12, 1807 Aged 53.

O, my friends, whom I leave behind,
 See that your hearts in love are Join'd,
 True love to God, and all mankind,
 In Christ's own love, you peace will find.

S. A. R. 1775.

In Memory of LOUISA STONE Daughter of Mr. Gregary and Mrs. Lucy Stone who died Aug. 14, 1806. Aged 7 years and 9 months.

Sleep on sweet child and take thy rest
 To call thee home God saw it best.

HEPZIBAH daughter of Gregory and Lucy Stone, died June 26, 1808, Æt. 19 yrs.

Seek ye the Lord while he may be found,
 Call ye upon him while he is near.

THOMAS WHEELER 1692—1750

MARY MUNROE widow of Thomas Wheeler and
Joshua Brooks 1699—1782

DEA. EDMUND WHEELER Died June 1, 1805,
Aged 74 yrs. S. A. R. 1775.

MRS. EUNICE WHEELER, Monroe widow of
Dea. Edmund Wheeler, died Aug. 15, 1824, Aged 90 yrs.

MRS. MARY WHEELER, wife of Dea. Thomas
Wheeler, died Mar. 25, 1816, Aged 52 yrs.

DEA. THOMAS WHEELER Died Jan. 26, 1841,
Aged 82 yrs.

M. POLLY HOAR

ABEL WHEELER Son of Dea. Thomas and Mary
Hoar Wheeler Died Oct. 23, 1868 Aged 78 Years.

CHARLOTTE BEMIS Wife of Abel Wheeler Died
Oct. 3, 1897 Aged 91 Years.

ELLEN WHEELER Daughter of Abel and Charlotte
Bemis Wheeler Died July 7, 1895 Aged 61 Years.

TOMBS

L. Weston's
Tomb 1843

Baker Tomb

Capt.
Abraham Cole's
Tomb
built 1830.

Smith's Tomb
1855.

Town Tomb.

Farrar and
Munroe 1875.

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In Memoriam

In the death of Charles Sumner Smith on August 28th, 1927, Lincoln lost one of its most loyal and devoted citizens. He was born in this community on December 19th, 1857 and from his early manhood was identified with every movement that has had for its object the progressive welfare of the Town and its inhabitants.

After graduating from its public schools he became a successful farmer and business man, his interests extending far beyond the limits of his community and State. For the past 28 years, with one exception, he was elected as a Selectman of the Town, and for the greater part of that time was chosen as the Chairman of the Board.

His foresight, his judgment, his persistent efforts toward everything that had to do with the good of the community made his service so effective and of such value that he will always stand out in the memory of those who knew him, as a citizen of distinction and rare ability. These same traits were recognized by his State, which he served in many capacities with that same zeal and courage that was characteristic of his local service.

He gave to the Town a lot of land for a school house in order that it might be conveniently located. He gave freely and liberally of his funds toward improving the children's playgrounds. By his will he left a large sum for a high school building and another substantial amount to his church. Many of his gifts that came from a generous heart were unknown except to those whom he benefited. So unfailing was his interest in Lincoln and his love for its people that his death has cast a shadow, which has left its impression not only over all those who called him friend but also over those who knew him merely as a citizen of the community.

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1927

Town Clerk.

THOMAS L. GILES

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

CHARLES S. SMITH (Chairman)*	.	.	Term expires	1930
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	.	.	" "	1929
C. LEE TODD	.	.	" "	1928

*Deceased.

Assessors.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN (Chairman)	.	Term expires	1929
HERBERT G. FARRAR	.	" "	1930
THOMAS J. DEE	.	" "	1928

Treasurer.

GEORGE G. TARBELL

Collector of Taxes.

THOMAS L. GILES

Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM

School Committee.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY	Term expires 1928
EDITH B. FARRAR	" " 1930
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" " 1929

Water Commissioners.

JOHN J. KELLIHER	Term expires 1928
SUMNER SMITH	" " 1929
ROBERT R. HUNTER	" " 1930

Board of Health.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON	Term expires 1929
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" " 1928
DONALD MACOMBER	" " 1930

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

CHARLES S. SMITH*	Term expires 1930
C. LEE TODD	" " 1928
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" " 1929

*Deceased.

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires 1930
C. LEE TODD	" " 1928
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" " 1929

Cemetery Commisisoners.

CHARLES S. SMITH*	Term expires	1930
EDWARD F. FLINT	" "	1928
FRITZ CUNNERT	" "	1929

*Deceased.

Field Drivers.

HERMAN T. WHEELER
WALDO LANGILLE
HENRY LEE HIGGINSON

Fence Viewers.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY
DAVID C. BOWEN

Surveyor of Lumber.

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

JOHN F. FARRAR ELMER A. ROLLINS

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY F. WINCHESTER DENIO

Trustees of Lincoln Library.

GEORGE G. TARBELL JOHN F. FARRAR
C. LEE TODD
CHARLES S. SMITH, *Chairman Selectmen ex-officio**
ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman School Committee ex-officio*

Registrars.

CHARLES S. SMITH*
ROBERT D. DONALDSON

C. LEE TODD
THOMAS L. GILES

*Deceased.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Proceedings of a Town Meeting held
March 7, 1927

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the seventh day of March next at one o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, except Article 2, and also to meet in said Town Hall on Saturday, the 12th day of March next at 12:30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the seventh day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March 12th, will be open at 12:30 o'clock P. M. and may be closed at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other Officers required by law, to be elected by Australian Ballot, viz.:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for one year.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow, during the municipal year, beginning January 1, 1927, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor, payable in one year

from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote, shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 or some other amount and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will this year make arrangements with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company for street lighting on the Tower Hill Road, and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will authorize and direct the Water Commissioners to remove that part of the cement water pipe now located between the center of the Town and the railroad station and replace the same with suitable iron pipe, and provide the necessary funds for the cost of replacement by the issue of bonds, notes or otherwise, or take any action with reference to the matter.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will direct the Selectmen to issue licenses to Inn-holders, common victuallers, and other keepers of restaurants or eating or drinking establishments upon applications made therefor as provided in Section 1 of Chapter 299 of the Acts of the year, 1926, or take any action in relation to the same.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will accept the legacies provided in the will of the late John H. Pierce and in the will of the late Miss Elsie Pierce, or take any action in regard to the same.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against any and all claims for land, grade and drainage damages which may be caused by or result from the laying out and construction of a State Highway on the British Trail, so called, in Lincoln, and will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sign an indemnity agreement therefor in behalf of the Town, or take any action with respect thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 391 of the Acts of 1923, an act which under certain conditions makes water taxes a lien on real estate.

HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this WARRANT with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 26th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

Pursuant to the above Warrant the Town Meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at the time and place appointed, who read the Warrant and presided at the election of Moderator.

ART. 1. George G. Tarbell was elected Moderator.

ART. 3. The following were elected to serve during the ensuing year:

Field Drivers.—

Hermon T. Wheeler
Henry Lee Higginson
Waldo Langille

Fence Viewers.—

David C. Bowen
Conrad P. Hathaway

Surveyor of Lumber.—

Elmer A. Rollins

Measurers of Wood and Bark.—

John F. Farrar
Elmer A. Rollins

Trustees Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway
F. Winchester Denio

ART. 4. The reports of the Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees were accepted, as printed in the Town Report.

ART. 5. Under this Article the following appropriations were voted:

For Schools	\$34,500.00
“ Support of Poor	1,000.00
“ Highways and Bridges (and Receipts)	15,000.00
“ South Great Road (to be taken from the Treasury)	7,500.00
“ Library (and Dog Tax)	1,000.00
“ Cemetery (to be taken from Cemetery Fund)	500.00
“ Purchase of Land for Cemetery	500.00
“ Board of Health	700.00
“ Tree Warden	1,000.00
“ Tree Warden, Moth Work	500.00
“ Miscellaneous Expenses, including Police Expenses	8,500.00
“ Hydrants and other Water Service	2,400.00
“ Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400.00
“ Street Lights	2,100.00
“ District Nurse	750.00
“ Fire Department	1,000.00
“ Middlesex Extension Service	200.00
“ Water Bonds	500.00

Under this Article it was voted the sum of \$10,500 be taken from the Treasury, in addition to the \$7,500 appropriated for the South Great Road and already voted to be taken from the Treasury.

ART. 6. Voted that the taxes for 1927 be collected in the same manner as last year.

ART. 7. Voted that the compensation of the Collector be one and one-half percent of the amount collected.

ART. 8. Voted that the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year, beginning January 1, 1927, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town, but not exceeding the total Tax levy for the said year, giving the notes of the Town in payment therefor, payable in one year from the date thereof.

All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

ART. 9. Voted to accept the provisions of Article 9. The sum of \$200 was appropriated and Herman T. Wheeler was elected Director.

ART. 10. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to make the necessary arrangements with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company for street and commercial lighting on the Tower Road and elsewhere in the Town, where necessary.

ART. 11. Voted that the whole matter contained in Article 11 be referred to the Board of Water Commissioners and that they be instructed to take such steps as may be necessary to have a new pipe laid in accordance with the suggestions contained in the Article.

ART. 12. Voted against the Selectmen *not* granting licenses to Inn Holders, Common Victualers and other keepers of Restaurants or eating or drinking establishments.

Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to issue licenses, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1, Chapter 299 of the Acts of 1926, at their discretion.

ART. 13. Voted that the matter contained in Article 13 be referred to a Committee to be appointed by the Chair, on which the Selectmen shall be represented, to confer with the heirs of the late John H. Pierce and the late Elsie Pierce and the Trustees of the estate, and for them to take such action as shall be for the best interests of all concerned and that they report to the Town not later than the next annual Town Meeting.

ART. 14. Voted to pass over this Article.

ART. 15. Voted that the Town accept Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 391 of the Acts of 1923, making Water Taxes, under certain conditions, a lien on Real Estate.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,

Town Clerk.

**Proceedings of the Town Election, held under
Authority of Article 2 of the Warrant
on March 12, 1927**

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, George G. Tarbell.

The following were appointed and sworn as Ballot Clerks and Tellers:

Thomas J. Dee, Mrs. May Bodley

Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., Charles M. Robinson

Percy P. Russ, Harold P. Whitney

The Polls were declared open at 12.30 P. M. and were closed at 6.30 P. M.

521 Ballots were counted, which number agreed with the number registered by the Ballot Box.

The result of the voting was as follows:

For Town Clerk.—

Thomas L. Giles (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	408	votes
R. B. Laird, rec'd	10	"
Harold P. Whitney, rec'd	2	"
John Adams, rec'd	1	"
William Whitney, rec'd	2	"
Walter Hallett, rec'd	1	"
Ernest MacFarland, rec'd	3	"
Blanks	94	"

For Selectman.—

Charles S. Smith (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	322	votes
John Adams, rec'd	176	"
Blanks	23	"

For Assessor.—

Herbert G. Farrar (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	417	votes
Edward Flint, rec'd	1	"
Warren A. Rice, rec'd	1	"
Frank P. White, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	101	"

For Treasurer.—

George G. Tarbell (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	453	votes
Warren Sherman, rec'd	2	"
Blanks	66	"

For Collector of Taxes.—

Thomas L. Giles (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	428	votes
R. B. Laird, rec'd	3	"
William Whitney, rec'd	2	"
Roger Sherman, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	87	"

For Auditor.—

James W. Lennon, rec'd	441	votes
Blanks	80	"

For Constables.—

John J. Kelleher (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	437	votes
George E. Cunningham (Elected and Sworn)	396	"
John Adams, rec'd	1	"
Martin Rooney, rec'd	1	"
Isaac Langille, rec'd	1	"
Theodore Quinby, rec'd	1	"

For School Committee.—

Edith B. Farrar (Elected), rec'd	435	votes
Bertha Scripture, rec'd	1	"
Warren Sherman, rec'd	1	"
Benjamin Carlson, rec'd	1	"
Elmer Rollins, rec'd	1	"
Alice DeNormandie, rec'd	1	"
Mrs. Robert DeNormandie, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	80	"

For Water Commissioner.—

Robert R. Hunter (Elected), rec'd	422	votes
Robert Bowman, rec'd	1	"
John Rooney, rec'd	1	"
Frank Gustin, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	96	"

For Board of Health, 3 Years.—

Donald Macomber (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	389	votes
R. D. Donaldson, rec'd	2	"
George G. Tarbell, rec'd	1	"
Frank Guſtin, rec'd	1	"
Frank Ryan, rec'd	1	"
Mr. Berger, rec'd	1	"
A. J. Dougherty, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	125	"

For Board of Health, 1 Year, to fill Vacancy.—

George G. Tarbell (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	417	votes
Blanks	104	"

For Tree Warden.—

John J. Kelleher (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	427	votes
Frank Ryan, rec'd	1	"
Horace Hinds, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	92	"

For Commissioner of Trust Funds.—

Charles S. Smith (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	384	votes
John Adams, rec'd	11	"
E. F. Flint, rec'd	1	"
Frank Ryan, rec'd	1	"
Anthony Doherty, rec'd	1	"
Theodore Quinby, rec'd	1	"
Benjamin Carlson, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	121	"

**For Trustee Bemis Fund for Free
Public Lectures.—**

Edward F. Flint (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	425	votes
Frank Ryan, rec'd	1	"

John Adams, rec'd	1	"
H. P. Whitney, rec'd	1	"
George G. Tarbell, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	92	"

For Cemetery Commissioner.—

Charles S. Smith (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	391	votes
Fritz Cunnert, rec'd	3	"
John Adams, rec'd	6	"
E. F. Flint, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	120	"

Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?

Yes	175	votes
No	138	"
Blanks	208	"

A true copy of the record of the vote cast at the Town Election held March 12, 1927.

Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

The following were appointed as members of a Committee by the Moderator, George G. Tarbell, of the Town Meeting held March 7, 1927, to serve under the provision of the vote taken under Article 13 of the Warrant—viz.:

Charles S. Smith	F. Winchester Denio
Anthony J. Doherty	Conrad P. Hathaway
Bertha Scripture	

Special Police for 1927.—

Albert S. Graves
 Redman Hartwell
 John Adams
 Daniel Ryan

Isaac Langille
 Henry Warner
 Harry Adams
 Richard Hartnett

**Proceedings at a Special Town Meeting held
 May 21, 1927**

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln, in said
 County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Saturday, the twenty-first day of May next at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, by posting a copy of this WARRANT, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the twenty-first day of May next:

ART. 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of relaying with a street water main exceeding six inches in diameter, the present water main from the center of the Town near the library along the station road to Codman's Corner, so-called; to determine how said sum shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; to authorize the issue of bonds or notes therefor; and to act anything relative thereto.

ART. 3. To see if the Town will take any action in connection with the extension of commercial electric lighting on the Bedford and Turnpike Roads, so-called; and to appropriate money for the same; or take any other action in connection with the matter.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will accept the devises and legacies provided in the will of the late John H. Pierce and in the will of the late Miss Elsie Pierce, or take any action in regard to the same.

HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this WARRANT with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk on or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this fourteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

Lincoln, May 14, 1927.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one at the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

Under the provisions of the above Warrant, the Special Town Meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at 8 o'clock P. M., who read the Warrant and presided at the election of a Moderator.

ART. 1. F. Winchester Denio was elected Moderator.

ART. 2. Voted that the sum of \$20,000 be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of relaying with a street water main, exceeding six inches in diameter, the present water main from the center of the Town, near the Library, along the Station Road to Codman's Corner (so-called); that to raise said amount, the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized, when so directed, by the Board of Water Commissioners, to issue from time to time bonds or notes of the Town to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, to be dated September 1, 1927, maturing, five thousand dollars in each of the years 1928, 1929, 1930 and 1931 until fully liquidated, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent., per annum, denominated on the face thereof "Lincoln Water Loan of 1927", to be signed by the Treasurer of the Town and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen, of which the Chairman shall be one.

Any bonds so issued shall be in coupon form but subject to registration as to principal.

Said bonds or notes may be sold by the Town Treasurer, but at not less than par and interest.

Any premiums received on any such bonds or notes (less the cost of preparing and marketing them) shall be applied to the payment of the principal of the bonds first to mature.

All other particulars, as to form, issuance and sale of said bonds or notes, except as prescribed by law, shall be determined by the Town Treasurer and a majority of the Selectmen.

For the purpose of payment of principal and interest of said bonds or notes, as they become due, there shall be raised by taxation each year a sum, which with the income derived from the Water Rates, shall be sufficient to pay said principal and interest, coming due that year until all said bonds or notes, hereby authorized be paid in full.

The vote on the above was as follows:

Whole number voting	85
Number voting yes	85
Number voting no	none

And the motion prevailed by a two-thirds vote.

ART. 3. Voted to extend the street lighting from Wheeler's Lane to the State Road on Bedford Road.

Voted to extend the street lighting from the house of Michael Connors to the house of James O'Brien on the Turnpike Road.

Voted that the sum of \$500 be appropriated and taken from the Treasury to defray the cost of the above extensions.

ART. 4. Voted that the Town accept the legacies of the late John H. Pierce and his daughter, Elsie Pierce, subject, however, to the following conditions:

1. That modifications of the wills of the late John H. Pierce and, if necessary, of Elsie Pierce, can be obtained so that the Town will not, at any time, be required to use or maintain the property given under said wills as a hospital.

2. That modification of the will of said John H. Pierce can be obtained to effect the result that if the trust under the said will is insufficient to pay in full both the annuity of three thousand dollars to Grace D. Pierce after the death of her husband, Robert M. Pierce and the annuity of like amount to the Town of Lincoln, the deficit in the annuity payment to the said Grace D. Pierce shall be made up from the annuity which should be payable to the Town of Lincoln.

3. That Robert M. Pierce, son of the late John H. Pierce, in his own behalf or by counsel, or other persons directly interested, agree to such modifications and agree to co-operate in securing the modification of said will or wills.

4. Upon the modification of said will or wills as above provided, that the Town grant to Robert M. Pierce, son of the late John H. Pierce, the use of the buildings on the tract of land specified in the legacy with the grounds adjacent thereto sufficient to make a satisfactory home during the life of said Robert M. Pierce on condition that the said Robert M. Pierce shall pay annually the taxes assessed on said property and that he pay the insurance premiums on such amount of insurance as may be prescribed by the Selectmen and that he keep the property at all times in as good condition as it is at present and allow no strip or waste in connection with the premises; that he also convey to the Town by a good and sufficient deed, the small

tract of land which he owns adjacent to the tract bequeathed to the Town by his father; with the further proviso that he shall not sub-let said premises to any parties or do any act which amounts to a lease without the approval of the Selectmen.

5. If the parties interested do not accept the conditions or if said will or wills are not modified in accordance with the foregoing conditions, the action taken shall be without prejudice to any later action which the Town may deem it necessary or expedient to take in the premises.

Voted That after the interest of the said Robert M. Pierce is satisfied, in accordance with the previous vote, that any net income received by the Town on account of the Real Estate in question shall be paid by the Town to the Waltham Hospital for the benefit of such citizens of the Town of Lincoln as may be in need of free hospital treatment.

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

Proceedings at a Special Town Meeting held on
July 16, 1927

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Saturday, the sixteenth day of July next at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the sixteenth day of July next:

ART. 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will accept the legacies provided in the will of the late John H. Pierce and in the will of the late Miss Elsie Pierce, or take any action in regard to the same.

HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 8th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

CHARLES S. SMITH,
C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

Lincoln, July 9, 1927.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and at the Railroad Station seven days before date of said meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

In accordance with the provisions of the foregoing Warrant, the meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock P. M. by the Town Clerk, who read the Warrant and presided at the election of the Moderator.

ART. 1. George G. Tarbell was elected Moderator.

Voted that the rules be suspended to allow free discussion of the matter contained in Article 2.

ART. 2. Voted that the Town accept the legacy of the late John H. Pierce with grateful acknowledgement of his generous benefaction.

Voted that the Town accept the provisions of the will and the gift of the late Elsie Pierce with grateful acknowledgement of her generous benefaction.

Voted that a Committee of five be appointed by the Chair to carry out the vote of the Town at a previous meeting, relative to modifications in the wills of the late John H. Pierce and the late Elsie Pierce.

The Committee appointed were as follows, viz.:—

Bertha Scripture
George G. Tarbell
F. Winchester Denio

C. Lee Todd
Anthony J. Doherty

Voted to adjourn.

Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

Vital Statistics

There have been recorded during the year ending Dec. 31, 1927, 9 Marriages, 17 Births and 14 Deaths.

Marriages Registered

Date of Marriage	Names	Residence
Mch. 9, 1927	Robert R. Hunter Jessie Raymond Simonds	Lincoln Lincoln
Apr. 12, 1927	Lester W. Pearson Elizabeth S. Guy	Lincoln Saugus
Apr. 30, 1927	Edward F. Stewart Mary J. Calkins	Waltham Lincoln
June 16, 1927	William MacDonald Jennie Butcher Pearson	Lincoln Lincoln
July 21, 1927	Walter G. Hallett Helen E. Pierce	Lincoln Concord
Sept. 18, 1927	Francis Joseph Corrigan Doris Rosanna Lamothe	Lincoln Waltham
Aug. 27, 1927	John Penketh Evelyn Lenora Hefler	Lincoln Waltham
Nov. 25, 1927	John P. Howard Elizabeth F. Giles	Weston Lincoln
Dec. 7, 1927	George D. Pace Marion Martin	Allston Lincoln

Births Registered

Date of Birth	Name	Names of Parents
Jan. 1, 1927	Alice Mary Dickson	Stewart G. and Christine B.
Jan. 23, 1927	Marilyn Orton Porter	Walter J. and Mildred F.
Jan. 30, 1927	Thelma Violet Walters	John J. and Lottie H.
Mch. 11, 1927	William Harry Pike	Richard G. and Helen H.
Apr. 9, 1927	John Daniel Hancock	George W. and Gladys S.
May 15, 1927	Alfred Grant Davis	Alfred M. and Ethel B.
May 15, 1927	Ernest H. MacFarland	Ernest H. and Ingar S.
May 24, 1927	Infant Howard	Lawrence W. and Emily F.
June 4, 1927	Charles Waldo Smith	Sumner and Alice Wiggin
July 16, 1927	Michael Cornelius Shea	Cornelius T. and Katherine N.
July 19, 1927	Martin Corrigan	Martin and Anna D.
July 27, 1927	Kenneth Henry Jensen	Olin A. and Agnes E.
Aug. 1, 1927	Harold Conrad Kearsley	William T. and Grace M.
Aug. 12, 1927	Helen Pearson	Lester Lyman and Elizabeth S.
Aug. 28, 1927	Mildred Gertrude Prescott	Howard Johnson and Edith Butcher
Aug. 11, 1927	Terese Agnes Delory	William B. and Mary J.
Nov. 22, 1927	Lawrence Russell	Walter and Elsie A.

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS Chap. 29 AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Deaths Registered

Date of Death	Name	Y.	M.	D.
Jan. 5, 1927	William H. Davis, Jr.	12	8	9
Jan. 6, 1927	Adelbert S. Hamilton	63		
Jan. 7, 1927	Francis Campobasso			2
Jan. 9, 1927	Lucy A. Griffin	80	5	4
Jan. 14, 1927	Jeanette Holman Butcher	46	9	28
Jan. 14, 1927	Andrew Kilfoye	69		
Mch. 13, 1927	George Peters	1	11	15
Mch. 15, 1927	Mary Ann Riley	72	7	10
Apr. 14, 1927	Marcus Morton Russell	86	7	6
Apr. 25, 1927	Jane M. Lennon	77		22
Aug. 28, 1927	Charles Sumner Smith	69	8	9
Nov. 3, 1927	Mary J. Burgess	85	6	
Nov. 9, 1927	Martha Melinda Watson	78	7	15
Dec. 30, 1927	William M. Hilliard	48	8	15

JURY LIST FOR 1927

As prepared by the Selectmen of Lincoln

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Bowen, David	Lincoln	Clerk
Bowman, Robert A.	South Lincoln	Salesman
Coburn, Edward S.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Codman, Hugh	Lincoln	Retired
Cousins, Harold S.	Lincoln	Farmer
Dean, Clarence H.	Lincoln	Carpenter
DeNormandie, William J.	Lincoln	Farmer
Farrar, John F.	South Lincoln	Farmer
Flint, Edward T.	Lincoln	Farmer
Giles, Thomas L.	South Lincoln	Town Clerk
Hartwell, J. Redman	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
Higginson, Henry L.	Lincoln	Farmer
Hill, Irving S.	Lincoln	Insurance
Johnson, Walter W.	Lincoln	Farmer
Lunt, Byron	Lincoln	Farmer
McHugh, John E.	Concord, R. D.	Farmer
Nelson, John W.	Lincoln	Farmer
Page, William P.	Lincoln	Insurance
Robus, William C.	Lincoln	Tel. Repairman
Tarbell, George G.	Lincoln	Farmer
Wheeler, C. Edgar	Lincoln	Farmer

Licenses Issued in 1927

There have been 83 Dog Licenses issued to Dec. 31, 1927—63 males, 19 females and 1 Kennel License, for which the County Treasurer has been paid \$251.40.

There have been 51 Resident Citizen's Sporting Licenses issued, 1 Resident Citizen's Trapping License, 11 Minor Trapper's Licenses and 1 Duplicate License for the year 1927, for which the sum of \$110.00 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1927:

The Board was organized by the choice of Charles S. Smith, chairman, and R. D. Donaldson, secretary.

APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Forest Warden and Moth Superintendent, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, John J. Farrar.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, J. Redmond Hartwell, Henry Warner, Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., John Adams, Henry Adams, Daniel Ryan, Richard Hartnett.

District Nurse Committee, George G. Tarbell, Robert D. Donaldson, Mrs. Edith B. Farrar.

Inspector of Slaughtering, J. J. Kelliher.

Special Police and Game Warden, Isaac Langille.

Fire Engineers, M. H. Doherty, Thomas Dee, J. J. Kelliher, H. G. Farrar, A. J. Dougherty, H. S. Cousins, Sumner Smith.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1927 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1927	The Selectmen recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year
For Schools	\$34,500	\$36,500
Support of Poor	1,000	1,400
Highways and Bridges	15,000	14,000
	and receipts	and receipts
Station Road (taken from money in Treasury)	7,500	7,500
Library and Dog Tax	1,000	1,250
Cemeteries	500	500
For preliminary work on recently purchased cemetery land		200
Board of Health	700	1,100
		and receipts
Tree Warden	1,000	800
		and receipts
Moth Work	500	500
Miscellaneous Expenses, including		
Police Expenses	8,500	9,000
Hydrants and other Water Service	2,400	2,180
Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400	400
Street Lights	2,100	2,100
Fire Department	1,000	1,000
Middlesex Extension Service	200	200
Water Sinking Fund		
To be taken from Water Works income	.....	827

Finances

The last of the outstanding Schoolhouse Bonds were presented for payment on Jan. 1, 1928, leaving a balance in that sinking fund of \$2,730. The Selectmen recommend the transfer of this balance plus accrued interest to the treasury.

The outstanding indebtedness on account of the Water Works is \$69,000.00, an increase of \$8,500.00 over last year. This is due to the issue of \$9,000.00 in notes to care for the renewal of the main on the station road, less the payment of \$500 in bonds maturing. The notes of \$9,000.00 are to be cared for through receipts of the Water Works or by taxation. This leaves an outstanding indebtedness of \$60,000.00 against which the sinking fund shows a balance on Jan. 1, 1928, of \$44,837.79. This balance, plus accrued interest, less the payment of bonds as they mature, leaves a deficit of approximately \$7,500.00 on the amount necessary to pay all outstanding bonds. To care for this the Selectmen recommend an annual appropriation from the Water Works Treasury of \$827 to be paid into the Water Works Sinking Fund. This will enable the sinking fund to retire all bonds as they mature.

Attention is directed to the small amount of money available for the treasury. Uncollected taxes of \$10,720.84, less the cash deficit of \$873.42, leaves only \$9,847.42 available in the treasury which may be used to reduce the amount to be raised by taxation.

The Concord-Wayland Road was completed during the past year, the total cost being divided between the State, County and Town.

On the Station Road the new water main has been successfully laid, and the Town has already started the work of rebuilding this road from Blodgett Corner to the

Library. Next year it is proposed to continue rebuilding from the Library to the Lexington line.

The State and County have been petitioned to share in the expense of rebuilding this road and have given the Town a hearing on the matter, but up to the time of this report going to the printer, the Commissioners had not made known their decision.

The roof of the Town Hall, which has caused trouble of late years on account of hidden leaks, has been repaired at a cost of about \$1,400.00. It was found on inspection that a large number of the slates had cracked and fallen off; these have been replaced. We feel, however, that the only permanent way of preventing future leaks is to reslate the roof with Monson Maine slate. The deck and base of the cupola, where most of the trouble of leakage centered, have been entirely renewed, and a copper covering has been built over the whole deck; the posts and railing have been rebuilt and painted. These repairs having been made, the cupola should be protected from the elements. It was found necessary partially to rebuild the chimneys and top them with cement caps; this has been done in a substantial way. The ventilators have been repaired and painted, and the weather vane, which was damaged by lightning, has been made over and regilded.

The Town at the present time is without a flag pole, and the selectmen recommend that a committee be appointed to consider erecting one as a suitable memorial to the men who took part in the World War. We suggest that the base of the flag pole be of such form and design that the names of the men may be inscribed thereon.

Through the kindness and foresight of the late Hon. Charles Francis Adams, there was recorded in the 1926 Town report a valuable record of the names of the dead

in the old cemetery adjoining the Common. The stones and markers in this burial ground have been defaced by time, and the Selectmen hope that the Town will make an appropriation sufficient to defray the cost of replacing these stones.

We feel that it is the duty of the citizens of today to respect and keep in order the resting place of the early settlers and inhabitants of the Town.

C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY

Your Committee reports that the services of Counsel, Mr. B. Loring Young of Weston, have been retained to take the necessary legal steps to carry out the wishes of the Town. Being a legal matter it will doubtless take some time to arrive at a decision, at which time the Committee will report further to the Town.

C. LEE TODD
ANTHONY J. DOHERTY
MISS BERTHA SCRIPTURE
F. WINCHESTER DENIO
GEORGE G. TARBELL

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

The Board of Health presents the following report for the year ending December 31, 1927.

The Board was organized by the choice of George G. Tarbell, Chairman, and Donald Macomber, Secretary.

Following the plan proposed at the Annual Town Meeting, the Board engaged the services of Mr. H. E. Berger, Health Officer for the towns of Wellesley, Belmont, Weston, and Needham, to make a health survey of the Town. In this work, Mr. Berger was assisted by Professor C. M. Hilliard, professor of Biology and Public Health at Simmons College. Mr. Berger made a very complete survey of the Town, visiting all piggeries, dairy farms, and roadside stands where food was served. He also surveyed the watershed of Sandy Pond, examined the records of the Board of Health and of the Health Nurse, and interviewed the members of the Board on its work and method in handling the matters which came before the Board. At the conclusion of the survey, Mr. Berger sat with your Board while his recommendations and proposed code of health regulations were discussed. His entire code of health regulations were, with a few minor changes, adopted, published, and are now in force.

One of Mr. Berger's recommendations was that of making the Health Nurse an agent of the Board, part of her duties being to keep the records of communicable diseases, make the necessary reports to the Department of Health, and enforce the observance of quarantine regulations. This plan has been put into operation and the Health Nurse is now carrying out these duties.

Mr. Berger further recommended that dairies which come under the jurisdiction of the Board be inspected, that the milk produced be tested periodically, and that the Board require the tuberculin testing of cattle, or pasteurization of milk on farms coming within their jurisdiction. These recommendations have been adopted. Three tests of the milk routes have been made with only one case unsatisfactory, that being the sediment from the milk, not the quality or bacteria count. At present there is no milk being retailed in Lincoln which is unsatisfactory in any way. These tests will be continued in the future, arrangements having been made with Mr. Berger to do the necessary laboratory work.

The problem of piggeries has become a serious one. It is a particularly difficult problem in a community more or less evenly divided between farmers and citizens with other occupations. The farmer must have fertilizer. The citizen not connected with farming demands and is entitled to protection against the nuisance caused by bad smelling piggeries or the careless spreading of pig manure. To meet this situation Mr. Berger drew up a proposed set of regulations for piggeries. Before acting upon them your Board held a public hearing on the matter in order to obtain as wide an expression of opinion as possible. Following the hearing a code of regulations was adopted and duly published according to law. These regulations necessitated somewhat extensive alterations in many piggeries so that your Board extended the time when they would be enforced, insofar as they would be an unreasonable burden before the time of extension. It is believed that these regulations will, with the co-operation of the owners of the piggeries, so work that there will be no unreasonable nuisance. Without the co-operation of the owners there can be no hope of relief from the nuisance which may ensue except the closing of the piggeries, which

your Board stands ready to do in any case of unreasonable nuisance. Your Board has, under authority given them by the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, zoned the Town for piggeries, forbidding the introduction of piggeries in any part of the Town not now occupied by that industry, and also forbidding the extension of existing piggeries.

In that part of the health survey touching on the work of the Health Nurse and the clinics held for the children, Mr. Berger recommended their continuance as at present. It is the intention of your Board to do so with the help and co-operation of the School Committee and of the Health Nurse Committee.

An interesting point brought out by Mr. Berger was that the appropriations for strictly health work in Lincoln amounted to \$1.57 per capita for the year 1927.

There have been few nuisance complaints during the past year. Two cesspools have been rebuilt and one privy vault condemned and rebuilt. There have been two piggeries complained of, one of which has been closed out and the other warned, there being no further complaints from the latter.

The Town has been fortunately free from epidemics during the past year. Statistics of contagious diseases are as follows:

Chicken Pox	2	Scarlet Fever	4
Dog Bite	1	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	1
Lobar Pneumonia	1	Typhoid Fever	1
Measles	1	Venereal Diseases	2
Mumps	4	Scabies	2

Your Board has one recommendation which it hopes the Town will see fit to adopt. The work of the Health Nurse is varied, communicable disease control, the follow up of quarantine regulations, the return of quarantined children

to school, the collection of milk samples, the supervision of clinics, bed-side care, and the position of School Nurse, all are part of the health work of the Town. At present this work is supervised by a Committee of three, appointed by the Selectmen. The duties of the Nurse may in general be divided into three groups, those connected with the Board of Health, with the school, and with bed-side care. It so happens that there are on the Committee a member of the Board of Health, a member of the School Committee, and one other. This is an ideal arrangement for the best co-ordination of health work, and should be made permanent. All work of the Health Nurse is in reality a part of the health work of the Town. Your Board therefore recommends that the appropriation for Health Nurse be made a part of the appropriation of the Board of Health, that the expenses of her work be paid through the Board of Health, and that the direction of her work be vested in a Committee of three, one to be chosen from the Board of Health by that Board, one to be chosen from the School Committee by that Committee, and one by the Selectmen.

Your Board asks for an appropriation of fifteen hundred dollars plus the receipts from the Health Nurse for the year ensuing, this amount to include the salary for the Health Nurse.

In conclusion, your Board has made arrangements with Mr. Berger for him to attend at least one meeting a year with your Board, at which time the work of the Board for the previous year and its plans for the ensuing year will be thoroughly discussed with the purpose of profiting by the suggestions of a Health Officer of wide experience.

GEORGE G. TARBELL
ROBERT D. DONALDSON
DONALD MACOMBER

REPORT OF TOWN NURSE COMMITTEE

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I should like to submit to the Town a brief summary of our Nurse's work during the year ending December 31, 1927. The total number of district calls is 577, which are classified as follows: medical 292, surgical 195, mother and baby cases 43, child-welfare 29, pre-natal 11, social service 3, Board of Health 3, accident 1. In addition the Nurse has carried on the school nursing and the various clinics connected with it, and has taken on some extra duties for the Board of Health. The Nurse has been appointed an agent of the Board of Health at a slight increase in salary, which is to be paid from the Board of Health appropriation. This work and the school work are described in detail in the reports of these two departments.

The Nurse's salary has been met as usual from the appropriations from different departments and from the receipts from Sudbury. The fees have been sufficient to cover the expenses of operating and storing the car, and of supplies. The arrangement with the John Hancock and Metropolitan Life Insurance Companies has been profitable to the Town,—\$101 of our fee money being derived from this class of service.

When all these different forms of activity are added together,—Board of Health work, school work, district work, and the work in Sudbury, which so materially reduces the cost of this service to the Town,—the sum total is one of most creditable achievement, and Lincoln has a right to be proud of the health protection its citizens are receiving.

In closing, I should like to say a word of appreciation for the Nurse whose faithful service makes this record of accomplishment possible. Officials and citizens alike give testimony to the value and efficiency of Miss Rudolf in performing the duties of her position.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH B. FARRAR.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

The Town of Lincoln appropriated \$200 in support of the Middlesex County Extension Service, through the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, for 1927. Following is a report of the work accomplished during the year.

In agriculture individual service was given to thirty-eight local farmers in the form of farm visits giving assistance on poultry work, orcharding, dairying, and field crops. A field meeting was held for the benefit of those farmers interested in alfalfa at the farm of Mr. Sumner Smith. During the winter a meeting was held for those interested in dairy crops.

A complete mailing list is maintained, and the timely notices on fruit growing, poultry, and gardening which were sent out were received by many Lincoln people.

In Home-Making a talk was given before the Grange on the subject of Convenient Kitchens. In the country-wide Kitchen Improvement contest two local women were enrolled. A series of Home Improvement meetings have been arranged in South Lincoln. This work will carry over into the coming year.

In Boys and Girls 4-H Club Work forty-four were enrolled in Clothing, Handicraft, Food, Garden, Poultry and Pig Clubs. Miss Marion Parker, Miss Myrtle Elliott, Miss Emma Clahane, and Mr. La Forest Robinson served as local leaders.

The girls in the Clothing Club in addition to doing excellent individual work co-operated by giving a play at the time of the Annual Meeting of the County Home-Makers held in Waltham. This same play was given locally at an Achievement Club Meeting held in connection with the Educational Motion Pictures. The Lincoln Grange awarded cash prizes for outstanding Garden and Canning Club members; Ruby Poland won first prize in the Canning Club, and Edward Costello and Clifford Bowles won first prizes in the Garden Club work. Clifford Bowles also received a medal from the Massachusetts Horticultural Society for doing exceptional work in gardening. Edward Flint, Jr., was awarded a two-day trip to the Massachusetts Agricultural College for outstanding club work. The boys and girls exhibited their products at the local Grange Fair, and many of them also exhibited at the Acton Fair.

Eight educational motion picture shows were given during the year to a total attendance of 1,337.

In addition to the local work many Lincoln people attended the County Picnic, and the Annual Meeting of the Extension Service, held in Waltham; also the country-wide meetings in fruit growing, poultry, and dairying which were made available to them.

Yours truly,

HERMON T. WHEELER,
Town Director for Lincoln.

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Outstanding Bonds January 1, 1928

Issue of 1900 due 1930 $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D.....	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupons $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S.....	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & N.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Reg'd 4s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	4,000.00
Issue of 1927, note due Sept. 1, 1928.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1927, note due Sept. 1, 1929.....	4,000.00
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	\$69,000.00

REPORT OF THE WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners respectfully submit the following report:—

The pumps and pumping plant are in good condition. The pipe lines are all believed to be good except the one over Pierce's hill, which should be renewed at some early date. The Commissioners also intend to enclose the reservoir at the boundary with a good fence.

The new pipe on Station Road was completed at a cost less than the original estimate and was paid for from surplus, the current year's earnings, and two notes of \$5,000 and \$4,000 respectively; the former to be paid off in 1928 and the latter in 1929. The Board plans and hopes to be able to meet its running expenses, interest, and sinking fund payments by this procedure, and then commence to build up some more surplus for future necessities and improvements.

The plans for the new pipe line and services are being prepared. 88,770,000 gallons were pumped at a cost of \$29.28 per million gallons, figured on salary and power expenses.

The following letter will explain the disagreeable taste and odor in the water this winter:

January 19, 1928.

To the Board of Water Commissioners,
Lincoln, Massachusetts.
Mr. Sumner Smith, Chairman.

Gentlemen:

In response to your request for advice relative to the cause of the objectionable taste and odor in the water of Sandy Pond in Lincoln, the Department has caused samples of the water of the pond to be analyzed.

The results of the examination show that the odor and taste in the water are probably caused by the presence of considerable numbers of the organism Dinobryon. This organism is known to cause disagreeable tastes and odors in the waters of ponds and reservoirs even when present in comparatively small numbers. The drinking of water containing such organisms is not known to be injurious to health, and it is probable that they will disappear from the water in a comparatively short time, but when they appear in the winter season they have been known to persist until the ice disappears from the reservoirs.

Respectfully,

GEORGE H. BIGELOW, M.D.,
Commissioner of Public Health.

SUMNER SMITH
JOHN J. KELLIHER
ROBERT R. HUNTER

Statistics Relating to Distribution System

Mains

1. Extended during the year, none.
2. Discontinued during the year, none.
3. Total now in use, 27.571 miles.
4. Number of hydrants added during the year, 4.
5. Number of hydrants replaced, 11.
6. Number of hydrants (public and private) now in use, 134.
7. Number of stop-gates renewed, 6. Number of stop-gates added during the year, 14.

8. Number of stop-gates now in use, 153.

9. Number of blow-offs, 30.

10. Range of pressure on mains, 40 pounds to 100 pounds.

Services

11. Renewed, 43. Discontinued, 0.

12. Number of service taps added during the year, 9.

13. Number now in use, 395.

14. Meters now in use, 14.

WATER REPORT

Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending December 31, 1927

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance on hand January 1, 1927	\$15,827.53	Selectmens' orders	\$35,623.58
T. L. Giles, Collector	13,974.71	Balance on hand December 31, 1927	3,467.79
Loan, Sinking Fund	9,000.00		
Bank interest	281.34		
B. & M. R. R. return on freight	7.79		
Total	\$39,091.37	Total	\$39,091.37

Operating Account for year ending December 31, 1927

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Rates	\$12,663.73	Power	\$ 1,673.64
Meter	1,283.42	Salaries	832.36
Sundry	316.69	Interest	2,235.00
Deficit*	20,859.74	Repairs and Renewals	30,237.25
		New Construction	41.47
		Miscellaneous	103.86
Total	\$35,123.58	Total	\$35,123.58

*The deficit shown in the operating account for the year has been cared for by the balance on hand January 1, 1927, plus the loan authorized at Special Town Meeting.

WATER REPORT (Continued)

Capital Account

ASSETS

Construction
Sinking Fund
Bills uncollected
Cash on hand

\$193,460.96
44,837.79
2,614.83
3,467.79

Total

\$244,381.37

LIABILITIES

Bonds outstanding \$ 60,000.00
Notes outstanding 9,000.00
Surplus 175,381.37

Total

\$244,381.37

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1927:

During the months of January and February, owing to rather heavy snowfalls, this department spent most of the time handling snow work. However, during any spare time work was done on the shoulders of the state, county and town road.

In March ruts were filled in on the back roads with crushed stone and scraped. The hard surfaced roads we patched.

In April and May we put out oil and teamed sand for covering same.

In June finished putting out the oil and tarvia, then started work on building the state, county and town road from the Wayland line toward Concord.

During July, August and September work was continued on this road.

In October we resumed patching the hard surfaced roads; also built about 2,500 feet of tarvia bound road 18 feet wide near Mr. Moorfield Storey's residence.

During the months of November and December work was continued patching the hard surfaced roads, gutters on the hills were repaired where they were washed out,

dirt roads scraped, and culverts replaced. Snow fence was erected, and guard rail fence built.

This year I purchased 1,600 feet more of snow fence and placed it where I thought it would save a great deal of snow shovelling. We now have about 6,000 feet of this fence and still need more.

The amount appropriated for the maintenance of the Highway Department was \$15,000 and the receipts nearly \$11,000, making an approximate total of \$26,000 available.

The amount expended for maintenance this year was approximately as follows:

White truck	\$ 4,800
Hay and grain	1,200
Supplies	10,300
Shoeing and repairs	750
Gas, oil, etc.	780
Sand and gravel	280
Snow work	2,100
Rent, water, light, etc.	500
Supt.'s salary, labor, etc.	4,650
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	\$25,360

The amount for state, county and town road was approximately as follows:

Labor, etc.	\$ 7,900
Supplies	10,000
Teams	2,150
Truck	950
Sand and gravel	500
Coal	106
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	\$21,606

The condition of the Highway Department is about the same as last year with the exception of the addition of the new White truck. This has been very satisfactory both for the removal of snow and hauling sand and crushed stone.

The guide boards are in good condition, some having been newly painted and others replaced by new ones.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,

Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

South Lincoln, Mass.,
January 23, 1928.

To the Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their Twentieth Annual Report ending December 31, 1927.

Force

The Fire Department consists of the following: one chief, six engineers and nineteen call men.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: one 600-gallon pump, two combination trucks, twenty-seven extinguishers, eight ladders and 2500 feet of hose.

Location of Apparatus

Pump and Number 2 Combination Truck at Doherty's Garage, South Lincoln, and Number 3 Combination Truck at T. J. Dee's, North Lincoln.

Fires

Forty-five alarms have been answered. Pump and Number 2 Combination Truck responded to eight chimney, twenty-seven forest, three building and two auto fires. Number 3 Combination Truck responded to four chimney, six forest and one building.

Total loss \$1,700.

It is the opinion of the Fire Engineers that a fire alarm signal should be installed.

Very truly,

M. H. DOHERTY, *Chief*
T. J. DEE
JOHN J. KELLIHER
H. G. FARRAR
A. J. DOUGHERTY, JR.
H. S. COUSINS
SUMNER SMITH

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

On December 31, 1927, the only uncollected taxes were 3 of the 1926 levy, amounting to \$425.20. Since that date 2 of these have been collected, leaving one of \$110 uncollected. Action has been begun for the collection of this tax.

Of the 1927 levy there remained on December 31, \$10,295.64 uncollected. Since that day about \$2,000 has been collected.

THOMAS L. GILES,
Collector.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the money paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen of Lincoln.

I have visited Mr. Todd at his office and was shown all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,
Auditor.

SCHOOLS

PAYMENTS

Town Treasurer, Teachers' Salary, including	
Janitor's Services	\$16,227.00
Massachusetts Teachers Retirement Board,	
Retirement Fund	713.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Student Tickets	740.00
City of Waltham, Tuition	2,380.00
City of Boston, Tuition	267.64
City of Newton, Tuition	245.00
Town of Concord, Tuition	3,081.80
Doherty's Garage, Transportation of Children	4,865.00
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation of Children	1,609.00
Waltham Auto Exchange Co., Transportation	253.90
Harriet Lindsay, Transportation of Children	97.50
John O. Algeo, Transportation of Children	37.80
John J. Mandigo, Transportation of Children	37.80

John Cook, Transportation of Children	29.50
Doris Butcher, Transportation of Children	14.80
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	88.71
Laffin Express Co., Express	3.20
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	17.11
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light	31.15
Lincoln Water Works, Water	75.50
Commonwealth of Public Safety, Inspection of Boilers	10.00
Charles E. Woodhull, Care of Pianos	32.00
H. A. Wood, M. D., Professional Services	210.00
H. L. Anderson, Electrical Work	66.10
H. W. Howe, Repairs on Clock	10.25
Edward Graf, Care of Clock	35.00
Standard Electric Time Co., Supplies	417.00
R. A. Fife Corporation, Supplies	109.95
J. L. Hammett & Co., Supplies	101.67
E. E. Babb & Co., Supplies	123.86
Denayers, Gilbert, Supplies	96.55
Silver Burdett Co., Supplies	96.55
World Book Co., Supplies	83.10
Andrews Paper Co., Supplies	83.86
W. D. Fitzpatric, Supplies	76.31
Iroquois Publishing Co., Supplies	55.00
Waltham Lumber Co., Supplies	47.58
J. W. Brine Co., Supplies	45.55
Lyons & Carnahan, Supplies	36.86
Rollins Bros., Supplies	33.53
Houghton, Mifflin Co., Supplies	41.90
Milton Bradley Co., Supplies	35.06
Ginn & Company, Supplies	29.00
J. B. Hunter, Supplies	43.58
Webster Publishing Co., Supplies	22.31
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	21.62
Doherty Garage, Supplies	31.65

F. E. Fitts, Supplies	17.27
Mason-Young & Co., Supplies	18.15
Marion Parker, Supplies	14.93
Unit Publishing Co., Supplies	13.83
McMillan & Co., Supplies	12.64
Standard Plate Glass Co., Supplies	12.16
Rand, McNally Co., Supplies	11.32
The Office Appliance Co., Supplies	9.62
Dodge Company, Supplies	8.75
Hall & McCreary Co., Supplies	9.03
Current Events, Supplies	9.75
Kenny Bros. & Co., Supplies	10.04
Teachers College, Supplies	9.73
D. C. Rodulf, Supplies	7.70
B. H. Sanborn & Co., Supplies	7.13
Department of Supt., Supplies	7.00
Mass. State Prison, Supplies	7.15
Reformatory for Women, Supplies	6.48
Charles Scribners & Sons, Supplies	5.41
Scott-Foreman & Co., Supplies	5.31
Allen & Bacon, Supplies	2.89
F. S. Bertz Co., Supplies	3.10
District of Un, Supplies	4.00
J. C. Winston Co., Supplies	3.54
Eagle Regalia Co., Supplies	2.70
Babbs, Merrill & Co., Supplies	3.36
Library Bureau, Supplies	2.50
Rand, Kalex Sales Co., Supplies	.60
Maynard Coal Co., 54,600 lbs. Coal, @ \$9.25	225.67
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	650.33
I. N. MacRae Co., Labor and Supplies	9.62
Langille Bros., Labor and Supplies	3.75
Edward McLeod, Labor and Supplies	40.55
George E. Cunningham, Labor	10.00

Charles M. Robinson, Expenses	114.10
Total	<u>\$33,993.41</u>

HIGHWAY

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt. of Labor	\$324.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	216.00
John W. Rooney	214.00
William H. Ryan	208.00
Timothy F. Crowley	206.00
George Monilla	206.00
Joseph Mahan	138.00
Ralph Butcher	56.00
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	34.00
Lester Pearson	28.00
John Wilson	56.00
John McHugh	56.00
W. J. Baskin	50.00
J. M. Sousa	47.00
W. J. Porter	306.76
A. J. Dougherty	355.00
Robert B. Hunter	20.00
George Browning	39.00
Herbert G. Farrar	14.00
Walter Hallett	8.00
James Ryan	2.00
Albert S. Brooks	4.50
Joseph Frazio	9.50
American R. R. Express Co., Express	1.66

Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	2.80
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	38.71
Lincoln Water Works, Water Service	50.00
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light Service	5.87
Charles S. Smith, Rent of Barn	400.00
Thomas F. Coan, Care of Horses	360.00
The White Company, Truck	4,800.00
Daniel McAskill, Shoeing & Repairing	86.00
J. A. Burgess, Shoeing and Repairing	458.34
George Cunningham, Sawing Wood	131.00
Doherty Garage, Storing Truck	95.53
Barrett Mfg. Company, Supplies	757.90
Byers Sales Mch. Co.	408.90
American Gas Acc. Co.	335.00
General Crushed Stone Co.	329.65
Charles H. Roper	154.06
Wilson Lumber Co.	82.85
Henry A. Grimwood	30.18
R. B. McKinn Co.	11.68
The White Company	34.54
Doherty Garage	330.02
Rice's Garage	88.20
B. W. Brown Grain Co.	757.04
P. Berry	54.55
J. W. Milbury	7.00
Rollins Bros.	1.05
New England Road & Machine Co.	28.07
Lexington Lumber Co.	1.06
C. H. Clark	3.00
H. T. Spencer	6.70
Daniel E. Sherman, Standing Grass	150.00
Thomas J. Dee, Sand	27.00
Helen Bateman, Gravel	8.00
Macone Bros., Supplies and Labor	16.90
I. N. MacRae Co.	2.10

A. O. Moreau	1.50
Total	<hr/> \$12,653.62

HIGHWAY SPECIAL

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor	\$1,008.00
William H. Ryan, Labor	764.00
Timothy J. Crowley	724.00
George Monilla	720.00
Thomas F. Coan	658.00
John W. Rooney	658.00
John Shanks	536.00
Joseph Mahan	508.00
John F. Farrar	460.00
M. Diamond	444.00
George Rooney	434.00
John W. Rooney, Jr.	392.00
George Huntley	224.00
Martin J. Rooney	42.00
J. A. Burgess	10.00
Sumner Smith, Posts	54.00
George Hunter, Blasting Rock	97.95
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	36.67
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	6.04
Maynard Coal Co., 23,550 lbs. Coal @ \$9.00	105.98
Herbert G. Farrar, Sand	125.00
Highway Department, Sand	375.00
General Crushed Stone Co., Supplies	5,187.46
Mass. Broken Stone Co.	1,573.54
Standard Oil Co. of New York	2,676.84
F. A. Stockley	144.30

Barker Lumber Co.	81.20
Henry A. Grimwood	65.58
Wilson Lumber Co.	16.70
Buffalo Roller Co.	8.50
Highway Department, Trucking	961.00
Highway Department, Labor of Horses	2,020.50
R. D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	160.11
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Total	\$21,278.37

HIGHWAY STATE AID

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt. Labor	\$432.00
Lincoln Highway Department, Labor	1,790.00
John Rooney	412.00
Thomas F. Coan	352.00
William H. Ryan	348.00
Joseph Mahan	300.00
Timothy J. Crowley	284.00
George Monilla	284.00
John W. Rooney, Jr.	184.00
John Shanks	176.00
Michael Diamond	136.00
George W. Rooney	92.00
John F. Farrar	64.00
Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	2,811.20
Standard Oil Co.	2,620.56
General Crushed Stone Co.	1,403.76
Mass. Broken Stone Co.	877.04
Wilson Lumber Co.	45.84
Lexington Lumber Co.	32.40
Mrs. Morrissey, Sand	19.00

Hans Sorenson, Gravel	30.00
Thomas J. Dee	14.00
Total	<u>\$12,707.80</u>

WATER

PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Power and Light	\$1,673.64
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	38.28
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Mch.	135.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due May	430.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due June	175.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Mch.	17.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept.	135.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept.	500.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Sept.	360.00
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Nov.	87.50
First Nat'l Bank, Coupons due Dec.	175.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest, Reg'd Mch. 1	132.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest, Reg'd June 1	227.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest, Reg'd Sept. 1	132.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Interest, Reg'd 1930	227.50
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Water Rates	200.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	1,547.23
Sumner Smith, Services as Water Comm'r	75.00
Robert B. Hunter, Services as Water Comm'r	75.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Supt.	475.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Protecting R. R. Crossing	106.41
Boston & Maine R. R., Demurrage	17.00
Est. of C. S. Smith, Grant Palmer, Services	25.00

L. C. Robinson, Reading Meters	20.00
L. C. Robinson, Services	100.00
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	4.07
Dept. of Corporation and Taxation, Certifying Notes	4.00
R. D. Wood & Co., Supplies	14,112.27
D. A. Hamilton	577.40
A. P. Smith Mfg. Co.	2,189.30
W. T. Shackley & Son	137.44
Builders Iron Foundry	125.41
Red Hed Mfg. Co.	336.00
Doherty Garage	10.10
Rollins Bros.	1.10
Walworth Company	157.36
Eddy Valve Co.	117.47
Chapman Valve Co.	123.67
City of Waltham	38.00
Kinffel & Essor Co.	6.96
Charles H. Roper, Labor	4.00
J. A. Burgess	4.00
Daniel McAskill	2.00
Thomas L. Giles	7.36
William Harrington	8.00
Hart Packing Co.	10.51
A. M. Byers	39.79
J. H. McCusker	9,807.65
National Meter Co.	30.34
Fred Tyler	126.00
Joseph Mahan	5.00
John Gilbert	16.00
Walter Hallett	12.00
I. N. MacRae Co., Labor and Supplies	523.82
Total	<hr/> \$35,623.58

MOTH DEPARTMENT

 PAYMENTS

Fred Tyler, Labor	\$920.00
W. L. Harrington	236.00
R. D. Donaldson, Labor of Horses	28.50
John Coan, Labor of Horses	140.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	5.66
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	1.71
Grasselli Chemical Co., Supplies	267.12
Frost Insecticide Co.	23.25
B. W. Brown Grain Co.	12.50
Fitzhenry-Guptill Co.	7.04
Doherty Garage	6.40
Total	<hr/> \$1,648.18

MISCELLANEOUS

 PAYMENTS

Edward Bannon, Care of Public Buildings	\$720.00
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services of Light—Hall	61.82
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services of Telephone	197.26
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	6.12
Thomas L. Giles, Services as Town Clerk	200.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services at Election	5.00
Percy Russ, Services at Election	5.00
Charles M. Robinson, Services at Election	5.00
A. J. Dougherty, Services at Election	5.00
H. P. Whitney, Services at Election	2.00

May Bodley, Services at Election	5.00
Isaac Langille, Special Police	54.00
Isaac Langille, Game Warden	1.00
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Taxes, 1926	500.00
Laffin's Express Co., Express	.50
The Minute Man, Printing	7.25
Lincoln Water Works, Water—Town Hall	50.00
Est. of C. S. Smith, Selectman and Overseer	100.00
R. D. Donaldson, Selectman and Overseer	200.00
C. Lee Todd, Selectman and Overseer	200.00
George G. Tarbell, Town Treasurer	300.00
W. L. Howland, Insurance—Town Hall	59.75
P. A. Carter, Printing	6.35
C. E. Woodhull, Care of Pianos	35.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Special Police	25.00
William H. Sherman, Services as Assessor	150.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Assessor	175.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services as Assessor	125.00
James W. Lennon, Services as Auditor	125.00
Isaac N. MacRae Co., Heating—South School	751.00
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registering Car	10.00
Standard Range & Stove Co., Repairs on Furnaces —Hall	187.54
I. S. Hill, 2 Bonds	73.50
Dept. of Corporation and Taxation, Certifications of Notes	6.00
George G. Tarbell, Stamped Envelopes	34.53
Thomas Groom & Co., Supplies	19.95
Converse Tire & Rubber Co., Supplies	40.88
Old Dominion Co., Supplies	2.14
Daniels Printing Co., Supplies	781.50
Rollins Bros., Supplies	.45
Doherty Garage, Supplies	152.83
Emma F. Bush, Supplies	30.68
P. B. Murphy, Supplies	2.00

Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	7.03
Thomas L. Giles, Supplies	3.14
Commonwealth of Mass., Supplies	1.85
C. S. Smith, Supplies	6.25
Lederle-Antitoxion Laboratories, Supplies	16.20
I. N. MacRae Co., Labor at South School	34.31
American Gas Accumulator Co., New Cylinder	20.00
C. O. Sargent, Rebatement	25.00
Langille Bros., Labor and Supplies—South School	48.98
C. W. Childs, Labor on Automobile	14.41
Burroughs Adding Machine, 1 Machine	98.00
Maynard Coal Co., 10,000 lbs. St. Coal @ \$15.50	
Maynard Coal Co., 21,475 lbs. Egg Coal @ \$15.00	249.48
Maynard Coal Co., 10,150 lbs. Bit. Coal @ \$8.05	
John J. Kelliher, Services as Constable	1,500.00
Charles M. Robinson, Rebatement of Taxes	1.10
A. A. Marshall & Son, Returning Births	1.00
Edward Graf, Labor at School Grounds—July 4th	4.00
M. M. Welch, Inspecting Cattle, 1926	56.00
George E. Cunningham, Services as Constable	41.00
Total	<u>\$7,546.80</u>

FIRE DEPARTMENT

PAYMENTS

Walter Hallet, Labor at Fires	\$17.00
Ralph Butcher	13.00
Richard Pike	33.00
Carroll Pike	32.00
Herbert G. Farrar	43.00
Thomas J. Dee	33.00
William A. Robus	7.00

John O. Algeo	3.00
Sumner Smith	9.00
George Martin	1.00
American La France Fire Eng. Co., Supplies	29.75
Dept. of Conservation	48.00
H. K. Barnes Co.	2.27
Rice's Garage, Labor and Supplies	35.00
Doherty Garage	26.66
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	12.45
Thomas J. Dee, Storing Fire Truck	100.00
Doherty Garage, Storing Fire Truck	300.00
Doherty Garage, Driving Truck	120.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services as Fire Engineer	25.00
Sumner Smith	25.00
Matthew H. Doherty	25.00
John J. Kelliher	25.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr.	25.00
Harold S. Cousins	25.00
Herbert G. Farrar	25.00

Total \$1,040.13

BOARD OF HEALTH

PAYMENTS

Waltham Publishing Co., Printing	\$50.00
H. A. Wood, M.D., Professional Services	100.00
H. E. Berger, Professional Services	195.00
Waltham Hospital, Services	388.50
Daniels Printing Co., Supplies	33.63
Eastern Drug Co.	10.50
Wadsworth-Howland Co.	3.25
George G. Tarbell	3.50

Thorp & Martin	3.05
R. D. Donaldson	2.89
Dorothy Rudolf	2.50
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	.41
Total	<u>\$793.23</u>

LINCOLN LIBRARY

PAYMENTS

Lincoln Library, Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Lincoln Library, Dog Tax.	231.21
Total	<u>\$1,231.21</u>

CEMETERY

PAYMENTS

Rollins Bros., Supplies	\$7.95
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Supplies	12.30
Lincoln Water Works, Water Service	20.00
James Mosher, Labor	192.00
Fritz Cunnert	186.00
W. L. Holmes	64.00
Thomas Diamond	30.00
Total	<u>\$512.25</u>

CEMETERY SPECIAL

PAYMENT

Charles S. Wheeler Est., Land for Cemetery	\$500.00
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MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

 PAYMENT

Middlesex County Extension Serv., Appropriation \$200.00

 INTEREST

 PAYMENTS

Old Colony Corporation, Int. on Note, \$35,000	\$644.06
Old Colony Corporation, Int. on Note, \$10,000	172.76
Lincoln Water Works, Int. from Mch.-June	105.00
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Total	\$921.82

 STREET LIGHTS

 PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—Dec., 1926	\$164.39
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—Jan., 1927	164.18
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—Feb.	154.22
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—Mch.	148.46
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—Apr.	137.00
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—May	139.21
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—June	131.87
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—July	137.28
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—Aug.	138.45
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—Sept.	143.89
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—Oct.	181.57
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services—Nov.	191.25
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Total	\$1,831.77

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

PAYMENT

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$400.00
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HYDRANTS AND OTHER WATER SERVICE

PAYMENTS

Lincoln Water Works, Water Troughs	\$200.00
Lincoln Water Works, Hydrants	1,980.00
Total	\$2,180.00

DISTRICT NURSE

PAYMENTS

Edith H. Bowen, Services as Nurse	\$27.00
Dorothy Rudolf, Services as Nurse	1,500.00
Dorothy Rudolf, Supplies	8.50
H. C. Hall Store	7.63
Rice's Garage	6.90
Public Health Nursery	1.35
Doherty Garage, Labor and Supplies	168.17
Doherty Garage, Storing Nurses' Car	60.00
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registration—1928	10.00
Total	\$1,789.55

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Support	\$1,396.00
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RECAPITULATION

PAYMENTS	
Water	\$35,623.58
Schools	33,993.41
Highway Special	21,278.37
Highway State Aid	12,707.80
Highway	12,653.62
Miscellaneous	7,546.80
Hydrants and Other Water Service	2,180.00
Street Lights	1,831.77
District Nurse	1,789.55
Moth Dept.	1,648.18
Board of Public Welfare	1,396.00
Lincoln Library	1,231.21
Fire Department	1,040.13
Interest	921.82
Board of Health	793.23
Cemetery	512.25
Cemetery Special	500.00
Waltham Hospital	400.00
Middlesex County Extension Service	200.00
Total	\$138,247.72

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:

Number of residents assessed on property	397
" non-residents assessed on property	86
" assessed on polls only	154
" acres of land assessed	8,539 $\frac{3}{4}$
" dwelling houses assessed	333
" horses assessed	146
" cows assessed	423
" neat cattle, other than cows assessed	77
" swine assessed	2,011
" sheep assessed	14
" fowl assessed	5,985
Value of land exclusive of buildings	\$772,585.00
" buildings exclusive of land	1,605,885.00
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Total value of real estate	\$2,378,470.00
Total value of personal estate	428,197.96
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Total valuation	\$2,806,667.96
State tax	\$5,160.00
State tax (Auditing Town Accounts)	495.97
State tax (Highway tax)	412.00
County tax	4,500.20
" " for care of tuberculosis patients	367.23
Town Grants	78,050.00
Overlay	1,812.26
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Total	\$90,797.66

Deductions (Estimated Receipts)	
Income tax	\$9,652.29
Corporation tax	600.00
Bank tax	1,500.00
Other miscellaneous estimated receipts	4,050.00
Money to be taken from treasury by vote of Town	18,000.00
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Total deductions	\$33,802.29
Net amount to be raised by taxation on polls and property	\$56,995.37
Number of Polls	431
Rate of taxation \$20.00 per \$1,000.00.	

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,
THOMAS J. DEE,

Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, Henry	100	2.00			2.00
Adams, John	625	12.50			12.50
Adams, Mary O.	4,800	96.00	88,800	1,776.00	1,872.00
Adams, Elizabeth O.	1,000	20.00			20.00
Abbott, Mary O.	1,000	20.00			20.00
A'Hearn, Timothy			3,000	60.00	60.00
Algeo, John O.	350	7.00			7.00
Baker, Asel	150	3.00	5,000	100.00	103.00
Ballou, Clyde D.	150	3.00	2,500	50.00	53.00
Bannon, Edward			2,000	40.00	40.00
Banton, Burton L.	400	8.00			8.00
Banton, Edmund F.	300	6.00			6.00
Barnes, Thomas			1,500	30.00	30.00
Barthel, Herbert	50	1.00			1.00
Barthel, Walter	400	8.00	4,500	90.00	98.00
Baskin, William J.	200	4.00	4,000	80.00	84.00
Bateman, Helen V.	4,750	95.00	18,500	370.00	465.00
Bean, Abbie E.	500	10.00	3,500	70.00	80.00
Bean, Anna K.	450	9.00	6,000	120.00	129.00
Bean, Elmer A.	100	2.00	1,000	20.00	22.00
Blaisdell, Adolph B.	200	4.00			4.00

Blodgett, Emma S.				20,000	400.00	400.00
Blodgett, Stephen H.	500		10.00	8,500	170.00	180.00
Bowen, David C.	200		4.00			4.00
Bowen, Lorenzo W.	600		12.00	20,000	400.00	412.00
Bowles, William	1,025		20.50	4,000	80.00	100.50
Bowman, Robert A.	400		8.00			8.00
Boyce, Alice M.	400		8.00			8.00
Boyce, Manley B.				2,600	52.00	52.00
Boyce Michael J.				4,500	90.00	90.00
Boyce Bros.				11,000	220.00	364.00
Briggs, Jane F.	7,200		144.00	7,000	140.00	150.00
Briggs, Richard Jr.	500		10.00			20.00
Briggs, Charles V.	1,000		20.00			256.00
Brooks, Albert S.	300		6.00	12,500	250.00	5.00
Brooks, Albert S.	250		5.00			6.00
Brooks, Bertha	300		6.00			70.00
Brooks, Estella M.				3,500	70.00	126.00
Brooks, Lorenzo E.	300		6.00	6,000	120.00	48.00
Brooks, Sarah W.				2,400	48.00	93.00
Brooks, Sarah W., et al.	150		3.00	4,500	90.00	35.00
Brown, Nettie M.				1,750	35.00	5.00
Brown, Valence B.	250		5.00			12.00
Browning, Edgar C.	600		12.00			51.00
Browning, Edgar C., Est. of	50		1.00	2,500	50.00	146.00
Browning, George U.	1,300		26.00	6,000	120.00	80.00
Bunker, Abbie E.				4,000	80.00	20.00
Bunker, Louis F.	1,000		20.00			153.00
Burgess, John A.	150		3.00	7,500	150.00	3.00
Burke, Norman	150		3.00			

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Burke, Thomas D.	650	13.00	2,500	50.00	63.00
Burns, William C.	175	3.50			3.50
Butcher, Arthur A.	175	3.50			3.50
Butcher, Charles R.	2,000	40.00	1,500	30.00	70.00
Butcher, Henry A.	325	6.50	2,000	40.00	46.50
Butcher, Ralph E.	350	7.00	3,500	70.00	77.00
Cass, Howard C.	50	1.00			1.00
Calkins, James T.	100	2.00	3,000	60.00	62.00
Calkins, T. Alonzo	2,000	40.00	3,000	60.00	100.00
Campbell, Fanny, et al.			9,100	182.00	182.00
Campobasso, Guiseppi	50	1.00			1.00
Carlson, Benjamin E.	2,050	41.00	22,500	450.00	491.00
Carter, J. Lester	75	1.50			1.50
Catoia, Angelo			3,000	60.00	60.00
Ceraso, Michael	50	1.00			1.00
Chapin, Arthur S.	200	4.00			4.00
Chapin, Carrie B.			2,100	42.00	42.00
Chapin, Clara F.			7,000	140.00	140.00
Chapin, Cyrus S.	1,500	30.00			30.00
Chapin, Elizabeth G., et al.			2,000	40.00	40.00
Chaves, John B.	350	7.00	2,500	50.00	57.00
Christiansen, Peter O.	50	1.00	1,000	20.00	21.00
Christie, George H.	250	5.00			5.00

Clapp, Clarence G.	400	8.00			8.00
Clark, Thomas	125	2.50			2.50
Coan, Bridget	1,050	21.00		80.00	101.00
Coan, John H.	1,700	34.00		100.00	134.00
Coan, Bridget	50	1.00		60.00	61.00
Coan, Thomas F.	50	1.00		60.00	61.00
Clarke, Fred F.	300	6.00			6.00
Coburn, Edward S.	2,625	52.50		100.00	152.50
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.	3,327.79	66.56			66.56
Codman, Hugh	5,612.79	112.26			112.26
Codman, Thomas N.	1,972.79	39.46			39.46
Codman, Thomas N., Agent for Ogden Codman	1,959.59	39.19			39.19
Codman, Thomas N., et al., Trustees	140	2.80		1,500.00	1,502.80
Condit, Harry M.	1,000	20.00	75,000	200.00	220.00
Connors, Michael	200	4.00	10,000	30.00	34.00
Conway, William	550	11.00	1,500	40.00	51.00
Cook, George	300	6.00	2,000		6.00
Corrigan, Francis J.	175	3.50			3.50
Corrigan, Mary			2,500	50.00	50.00
Corrigan, Patrick F.			2,300	46.00	46.00
Corrigan, John F.	200	4.00			4.00
Costello, William	250	5.00			5.00
Cotoni, Nicholas	1,100	22.00		20.00	42.00
Coughlin, Alfred C.	200	4.00	1,000	100.00	104.00
Cousins, Ashley B.	50	1.00	5,000		1.00
Cousins, Harold S.	600	12.00	9,000	180.00	192.00
Craig, Waldo B.	300	6.00			6.00
Crommett, Harry A.	100	2.00			2.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Crook, Russell G.			3,000	60.00	60.00
Crowley, Timothy J.			2,000	40.00	40.00
Crenner, Georgiana			4,000	80.00	80.00
Cunnert, Fritz	150	3.00	200	4.00	7.00
Cunningham, Francis H.			4,000	80.00	80.00
Cunningham, George E.	300	6.00	5,000	100.00	106.00
Cunningham, Harry D.	100	2.00			2.00
Cutter, Charles T.			3,500	70.00	70.00
Danner, John			5,000	100.00	100.00
Davis, Alfred G.	1,000	20.00	5,000	100.00	120.00
Davis, Alfred M.	2,750	55.00	4,000	80.00	135.00
Davis, E. Russell	500	10.00			10.00
Davis Prescott L.	3,200	64.00	9,000	180.00	244.00
Davison, Everett H.	50	1.00	2,500	50.00	51.00
Dean, Clarence H.	150	3.00			3.00
Dean, Harold S.	50	1.00	3,000	60.00	61.00
De Cordova, Julian	12,800	256.00	45,000	900.00	1,156.00
Dee, Thomas J.	600	12.00	6,000	120.00	132.00
Delory, Theresa			1,500	30.00	30.00
Delory, William B.	100	2.00	2,500	50.00	52.00
Dempsey, Edward	200	4.00	2,000	40.00	44.00
Denio, F. Winchester	1,000	20.00	2,500	50.00	70.00
De Normandie, Charles L., Est. of			7,500	150.00	150.00

De Normandie, William J.	1,350	27.00				27.00
De Palma, Nicholas, Est. of.						10.00
Diamond, James H.	225	4.50		500	10.00	30.50
Doherty, Anthony J.	1,000	20.00		1,300	26.00	
Doherty & Corrigan	5,500	110.00		5,500	110.00	130.00
Doherty, Mary E.				5,500	110.00	220.00
Doherty, Matthew H.				2,000	40.00	40.00
Domenichello, Dominic	375	7.50		3,500	70.00	70.00
Donaldson, James F.	175	3.50		2,250	45.00	52.50
Donaldson, Robert D.	7,000	140.00				3.50
Dougherty, Andrew J.	1,360	27.20		50,300	1,006.00	1,146.00
Dougherty, Andrew J. Jr.	300	6.00		3,000	60.00	87.20
Dougherty, Allen R.	150	3.00				6.00
Dumphrey, Richard	400	8.00				3.00
Eaton, Winslow A., Est. of.				3,000	60.00	8.00
Edgerly, Jonathan F.	1,150	23.00		22,000	440.00	60.00
Ehlert, Caroline E.	100	2.00				463.00
Ehlert, Ellen				3,500	70.00	2.00
Ellms, Charles W.				6,000	120.00	70.00
Ellms, Marjorie	100	2.00				120.00
Emery, George C.	50	1.00				2.00
Emery, Grace M.				5,000	100.00	1.00
Farnsworth, Murray P.	500	10.00				100.00
Farquhar, David						10.00
Farrar, Edward R.	650	13.00		6,500	130.00	130.00
Farrar, Herbert G.				8,150	163.00	176.00
Farrar, John F.				5,000	100.00	100.00
Farrar, John F. and Herbert G.	600	12.00		3,500	70.00	70.00
						12.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
First Parish					
Flagg, Nolan, R.	400	8.00	3,500	70.00	70.00
Fleming, Mary			1,000	20.00	8.00
Flint, Edward F.	2,575	51.50	16,500	330.00	20.00
Flint, Ephraim B.	2,925	58.50	14,000	280.00	381.50
Florio, Tito	350	7.00			338.50
Flynn, Frank J.	300	6.00	3,000	60.00	7.00
Foreman, Charles F.			2,500	50.00	66.00
Frazier, Margaret	75	1.50			50.00
French, Lindol	300	6.00			1.50
Furiga, John J.	275	5.50			6.00
Ferdinand, Lorrin W.	800	16.00			5.50
Garadski, Archy	150	3.00	4,000	80.00	96.00
Gayer, Clara W.	250	5.00	3,500	70.00	3.00
Gilbert, Francis	150	3.00			75.00
Giles, Edmund W.	150	3.00			3.00
Giles, Thomas L.	350	7.00	3,500	70.00	3.00
Giles, Thomas T.	700	14.00	1,000	20.00	77.00
Glover, Sarah J.			2,500	50.00	34.00
Gould, James K.	250	5.00			50.00
Graf, Edward	100	2.00	500	10.00	5.00
Graves, George A.	500	10.00	7,000	140.00	12.00
Gregory, LeRoy H., Est. of.	50	1.00	4,500	90.00	150.00
					91.00

Gustin, Francis E.	800	16.00			16.00
Gustin, Francis E., Jr.	350	7.00			7.00
Hagerty, Raymond E.	500	10.00			10.00
Hallett, Lawrence	150	3.00			3.00
Hamilton, Celeste C.			3,600	72.00	72.00
Harding, William A.	150	3.00	2,500	50.00	53.00
Hart, Joseph S.			22,000	440.00	440.00
Hartnett, Richard	50	1.00			1.00
Hatheway, Louise A.	18,750	375.00	146,000	2,920.00	3,295.00
Hartwell, J. Redmond	300	6.00			6.00
Haynes, Georgie L.	250	5.00	3,500	70.00	75.00
Hanlon, Albert W.	75	1.50	5,200	104.00	105.50
Heil, John	50	1.00			1.00
Henderson, George W.			500	10.00	10.00
Herman, Edwards W.	4,500	90.00	17,500	350.00	440.00
Hersey, Wilmer R.	400	8.00			8.00
Hews, Annie M.	200	4.00			4.00
Higginson, A. Henry	8,500	170.00			170.00
Higginson, Henry L.	4,000	80.00			80.00
Hill, Dorothy B.			7,000	140.00	140.00
Hill, Irving S.	175	3.50			3.50
Hilliard, Florence M.			16,500	330.00	330.00
Hilliard, William M.	550	11.00			11.00
Hinds, Horace S.	1,100	22.00	7,500	150.00	172.00
Hobbs, E. Stanley, Jr.	400	8.00	3,000	60.00	68.00
Hodges, George C.			9,000	180.00	180.00
Hogan, Elinor	100	2.00			2.00
Holman, Daniel			200	4.00	4.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Hoyt, Georgina	400	8.00			8.00
Hunt, Merrill	4,525	90.50	11,200	224.00	314.50
Hunter, Euphemia J.	1,440	28.80	9,000	180.00	208.80
Hutton, James			1,300	26.00	26.00
Iasi, Anthony	1,500	30.00			30.00
Jensen, Holgar J.	175	3.50			3.50
Jensen, Niels	875	17.50	4,500	90.00	107.50
Jensen, Olin A.	50	1.00			1.00
Jensen, Otto A. B.	400	8.00			8.00
Johansen, Thomas	150	3.00			3.00
Johansen, John	175	3.50			
Johnson, John			1,000	20.00	23.50
Johnson, Walter W.			1,100	22.00	22.00
Jose, Eugene	50	1.00	5,500	110.00	111.00
Kelliher, John J.	735	14.70	4,400	88.00	102.70
Kelley, Ansel S.	950		3,600	72.00	72.00
Kennedy, Honor		19.00			19.00
Kidder Bros.			3,100	62.00	62.00
Kidder, Arthur W.	1,400	28.00	12,700	254.00	282.00
King, Elizabeth L.	100	2.00			2.00
Kinney, Robert C.	650	13.00	2,500	50.00	50.00
					13.00

Korford, Harold W.	1,200	24.00	10,000	200.00	224.00
Lahey, James			1,500	30.00	30.00
Lahey, James E.	275	5.50			5.50
Laird, Mrs. James T.			3,250	65.00	65.00
Laird, Roderick B.	700	14.00			14.00
Langille, Isaac	200	4.00			4.00
LeMoine, Arthur	200	4.00			4.00
Lennon, James W.			3,000	60.00	60.00
Lennon, John B.			3,000	60.00	60.00
Lennon, Patrick J.			2,000	40.00	40.00
Lewis, James P.	1,600	32.00			32.00
Loring, Robert G.	560	11.20	8,000	160.00	171.20
Luce, Charles M.	500	10.00			10.00
Lunt, Charles	140	2.80	2,500	50.00	52.80
Lincoln, Farms	500	10.00			10.00
Lincoln Stone Quarry Co.			9,000	180.00	180.00
Langstone, Frank C.	350	7.00			7.00
MacAskill, Daniel			3,200	64.00	64.00
MacDonald, Daniel A.	200	4.00			4.00
MacFarland, Ernest H.	250	5.00			5.00
MacKenzie, Roland C.	1,750	35.00			35.00
MacKenzie, Elizabeth G.			15,000	300.00	300.00
MacLaren, Thomas J.	200	4.00			4.00
Macomber, Donald	2,015	40.30	32,000	640.00	680.30
Mac Rae, Isaac N., Est. of.			4,000	80.00	80.00
Mac Rae, I. N. Co., Inc.	300	6.00			6.00
Mac Rae, Manning			5,000	100.00	100.00
Mann, David W.	400	8.00	4,000	80.00	88.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Marcy, Florence E. G.	350	7.00	16,000	320.00	327.00
Marren, John J.	1,400	28.00			28.00
Martin, Angus W.	200	4.00			4.00
Martin, Ellen			3,000	60.00	60.00
MacHugh, John E.	950	19.00	6,000	120.00	139.00
MacHugh, Mary	600	12.00			12.00
McKinnon, John	75	1.50			1.50
McLean, Hector J.	50	1.00	3,000	60.00	61.00
McLeod, Edward	250	5.00			5.00
Montgomery, Hastwell T.	300	6.00			6.00
Morrissey, Annie	225	4.50			
Moynihan, Timothy, Est. of			4,500	90.00	94.50
Murphy, George	50	1.00	3,500	70.00	70.00
Mannarino, Joseph			5,000	100.00	100.00
Nelson Bros.	1,730	34.60	9,000	180.00	214.60
Nelson, Charles M.	150	3.00			3.00
Neville Bros.	1,350	27.00	4,500	90.00	117.00
Norton, Bridget M. and John H.			6,000	120.00	120.00
Norton, Paul L.	350	7.00			7.00
O'Brien, Frank M.	100	2.00			2.00
O'Brien, James	450	9.00	1,000	20.00	29.00
O'Leary, Delia			6,000	120.00	120.00
Osgood, Emily K.	1,150	23.00	40,000	800.00	823.00

Page, G. William	150	3.00				3.00
Page, Henry R., et al.	725	14.50				314.50
Palmer, Meredith W.	1,000	20.00			15,000	20.00
Pearl, Leland J.	150	3.00				3.00
Pearson, Burt W., Est. of	2,500	50.00			5,000	150.00
Peck, Chester G.	3,075	61.50			23,000	521.50
Penketh, William H.	300	6.00				6.00
Peirce, Harriet T.	300	6.00			3,500	76.00
Peirce, Isabel T.					1,000	20.00
Peirce, Alice and Jenny					4,000	80.00
Peters, John W.	100	2.00				2.00
Peterson, Andrew	50	1.00			1,100	23.00
Pierce, Lucy B.					16,000	320.00
Pierce, George A.	1,150	23.00				23.00
Pierce, Sewall D.	200	4.00				4.00
Pierce, Estates of John H. and Elsie					25,500	510.00
Pike, Carrol H.	1,550	31.00			5,500	141.00
Pike, Richard	1,250	25.00			6,000	145.00
Poland, Verne L.	400	8.00				8.00
Pollard, Anne D.	8,800	176.00			35,000	876.00
Powers, Elizabeth F.	50	1.00				1.00
Powers, James F.	315	6.30				6.30
Porter, Walter J.	1,200	24.00			10,600	236.00
Poor, Jane, and Fitch, Marion	250	5.00			2,500	55.00
Preble, Charles O.	700	14.00				14.00
Presby, Esther L.	300	6.00			7,000	146.00
Primak, John					7,000	153.50
Quinby, Sarah P.	675	13.50			3,500	70.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Rasmussen, Robert	50	1.00	2,500	50.00	51.00
Rice, Edwin B.	340	6.80	3,000	60.00	66.80
Rice, Warren A.	565	11.30	3,000	60.00	71.30
Riley, Ellen			6,000	120.00	120.00
Roberts, William G.	200	4.00			4.00
Robinson, Charles M.	100	2.00			2.00
Robus, Tamzin K.			2,500	50.00	50.00
Robus, William A.	200	4.00			4.00
Robus, William C.	175	3.50			3.50
Roche, Bridget			6,000	120.00	120.00
Roche, Edward C.	250	5.00			5.00
Roche, James L.	50	1.00			1.00
Rogers, John H.	1,150	23.00	6,500	130.00	153.00
Rollins Bros.	1,050	21.00	800	16.00	21.00
Rollins, Mrs. Charles L.					16.00
Rollins, Elmer A.	100	2.00			2.00
Rooney, George M.	100	2.00			2.00
Rooney, John W.	200	4.00	2,000	40.00	44.00
Russ, Bertha G.	1,200	24.00			24.00
Russell, Walter H.	75	1.50			1.50
Ryan, Daniel	150	3.00			3.00
Ryan, James T.	50	1.00			1.00
Ryan, Mary			2,500	50.00	50.00

Ryan, Mary A.	500	10.00				10.00
Ryan, Statia					2,500	50.00
Ryan, Mary J.					2,500	50.00
Sargent, Charles O.	550	11.00			7,500	161.00
Scripture, Bertha	100	2.00				2.00
Scripture, Mary J.	100	2.00				2.00
Seeckts, Marion E.	100	2.00				2.00
Seegar, Frederick M.	200	4.00				4.00
Shaw, Jeremiah A.	350	7.00				167.00
Shea, Cornelius T.	11,675	233.50			8,000	373.50
Shepard, Richard A.					7,000	70.00
Sherman, Carrie, A.					3,500	46.00
Sherman, Daniel E.	4,000	80.00			2,300	395.00
Sherman, Roger	1,100	22.00			15,750	132.00
Sherman, Susan					5,500	82.00
Sherman, Warren A.	150	3.00			4,100	43.00
Sherman, William H.	500	10.00			2,000	110.00
Silva, Manuel	12,500	250.00			5,000	430.00
Sims, Mildred, Admx.					9,000	32.00
Sims, Royal	250	5.00			1,600	5.00
Skilton, Raymond M.	1,500	30.00				30.00
Smith, Charles S.	5,100	102.00			63,850	1,379.00
Smith, Sumner					4,000	80.00
Snelling, Caroline	400	8.00			4,500	98.00
Snelling, Marion L.					500	10.00
Sousa, Joseph M.	400	8.00			2,500	58.00
Spencer, Annette I.	700	14.00				14.00
Spencer, Arthur H.	2,090	41.80			19,000	421.80

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Stone, Edith L.			300	6.00	6.00
Storey, Moorfield	4,350	87.00	27,500	550.00	637.00
Sturtevant, Seward	400	8.00			8.00
Sherwin, Edward V.	200	4.00	1,500	30.00	34.00
Tarbell, George G.	1,290	25.80	300	6.00	31.80
Tarbell, George G., Trustee			22,000	440.00	440.00
Tarbell, George G., Trustee (Weston Place)			3,800	76.00	76.00
Tasker, Jennie K.	200	4.00	4,000	80.00	84.00
Tighe, Lewis E.	100	2.00			2.00
Todd, C. Lee	1,900	38.00	25,000	500.00	538.00
Tyler, Fred	100	2.00	2,700	54.00	56.00
Tyler, Fred and James Adm'rs Est. of Watson Tyler			2,700	54.00	54.00
Wallace, Frances	350	7.00			7.00
Warner, Henrietta	512	10.24			10.24
Warner, Henry E.					
Washburn, Mary J.	3,000	60.00	14,000	280.00	340.00
Watson, Samuel J.			2,700	54.00	54.00
Watson, William E.			1,500	30.00	30.00
Welch, Martin M.			2,500	50.00	50.00
Weston, Georgiana H.			2,500	50.00	50.00
Wheeler, Andrew J.	400	8.00	5,000	100.00	100.00
					8.00

Wheeler, Earl R.	250	5.00	3,500	70.00	75.00
Wheeler, Charlotte	2,400	48.00			48.00
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.			7,000	140.00	140.00
Wheeler, Charles S., Est. of			13,000	260.00	260.00
Wheeler, C. Edgar	540	10.80	3,500	70.00	80.80
Wheeler, George R.	300	6.00	5,700	114.00	120.00
Wheeler, Hermon T.	250	5.00	5,000	100.00	105.00
Whitcomb, Clifford	600	12.00			12.00
Westman, Charles L.	400	8.00	7,000	140.00	148.00
White, Frank E.	400	8.00			8.00
White, Jennie S.	100	2.00	6,000	120.00	122.00
Whitney, Harold P.	50	1.00			1.00
Wilkins, John H.			7,000	140.00	140.00
Wilson, John	1,600	32.00	4,000	80.00	112.00
Winchell, Gilbert	1,350	27.00	30,000	600	627.00
Wood, Washington Irving	600	12.00			12.00
Woodward, Arthur	350	7.00	4,000	80	87.00
Woodworth, Lewis W.	400	8.00	3,500	70	78.00
Woodhull, Charles E.	1,300	26.00	7,000	140	166.00
Yeomans, Wellington F.	50	1.00			1.00
Zaitzevsky, Leon	250	5.00			5.00

NON-RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Ames, Mrs. J. B., Cambridge			750	15.00	15.00
Albano Bros., Concord			250	5.00	5.00
Baker, Walter F., Weston			200	4.00	4.00
Bent, Edwin S., et al, Florida			6,000	120.00	120.00
Blodgett, Edwin S., Florida			3,000	60.00	60.00
Brandon, John A., Calif			6,000	120.00	120.00
Brooks, Mary A., Concord			1,000	20.00	20.00
Broughall, Margaret, Lexington			50	1.00	1.00
Brown, Harry, Wayland			100	2.00	2.00
Brown, William H. and Arthur H., Winchendon			3,000	60.00	60.00
Burrill, William L.			500	10.00	10.00
Bills, Sarah, Sudbury			1,750	35.00	35.00
Beechnut Packing Co.	400	8.00			8.00
Canajoharie, N. Y.					
Cadario, John A., Boston			3,000	60.00	60.00
Carroll, Henrietta S.			100	2.00	2.00
Cheney, George, Weston			200	4.00	4.00
Clary, Dorothy M., Medford			2,000	40.00	40.00
Connors, John N., Lexington	10,000	200.00	3,000	60.00	260.00
Coppinger, Joseph, So. Boston			11,000	220.00	220.00

Cousins, Fred E., Littleton.....				6,100	122.00	122.00
Curley, Annie, Boston.....				500	10.00	10.00
Conover, Frank, Cambridge.....				250	5.00	5.00
Dean, Louis W., Waltham.....				7,500	150.00	320.00
De Coste, Albert E., et al, Cambridge.....			170.00	5,000	100.00	120.00
DeNormandie, Alice W., Boston.....			20.00	20,000	400.00	410.00
DeNormandie, James W., Est. of, Boston.....			10.00	8,000	160.00	160.00
Dizer, Samuel K., Waltham.....				150	3.00	3.00
Doyle, Daniel, Weston.....				1,000	20.00	20.00
Dunbar, William H. and Hoar, D. Blakelee.....				500	10.00	10.00
Eaton, Frederick A., Concord.....					10.00	10.00
Edison El. Ill. Co., Boston.....			800.00		800.00	800.00
Fernald, Alvin E., Waltham.....				3,000	60.00	60.00
Fitchburg R. R. Co.....				900	18.00	18.00
Gately, Annie E., Boston.....			3.00	20,000	400.00	403.00
Gorgas, Francis R. Heirs of, Concord..				100	2.00	2.00
Graves, Albert S.....			20.00	16,000	320.00	340.00
Green, Grace, Kansas.....				200	4.00	4.00
Griffin, R. H., Lexington.....				300	6.00	6.00
Grimwood, Henry A., Weston.....			145.00	100	2.00	147.00
Hayes, Thomas F., Weston.....			10.00			10.00
Harrington, T. Frank, Trustee, Waltham.....				4,100	82.00	82.00
Harrington, T. Frank, Waltham.....				2,300	46.00	46.00
Hay, Robert T., Melrose.....				5,500	110.00	110.00
Hayden, Nellie B., Lexington.....				300	6.00	6.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Higginson, Henry L. Est. of					
Frederick P. Cabot, Trustee.....			80,000	1,600.00	1,600.00
Holmes, Sarah E., Arlington.....			300	6.00	6.00
Hunt, Lewis E., Somerville.....			2,500	50.00	50.00
Kaizer, Horace, Concord.....			2,500	50.00	50.00
Keyes, Prescott S., Concord.....			11,000	220.00	220.00
Kolyshkin, George, Cambridge.....			500	10.00	10.00
Lima, Anthony J., Lexington.....			500	10.00	10.00
Locke, Isaac, Heirs of.....			250	5.00	5.00
Lovett, Rob't W., Est. of.....	1,000	20.00	7,500	150.00	170.00
Masterton, George F., Concord.....	500	10.00			10.00
Malloy, Mrs. John, Waltham.....			1,000	20.00	20.00
Marr, John W., Waltham.....			5,500	110.00	110.00
McHugh, Katherine, Belmont.....			500	10.00	10.00
Nelson, Allen M., Lowell.....	200	4.00			4.00
Neville, Henry P., Bedford.....			1,000	20.00	20.00
New England Tel. & Tel Co.....			4,000	80.00	317.34
Norton, Mrs. T. M., Ayer.....	11,867	237.34	20	.40	.40
O'Brien, Marjorie C., Boston.....			1,000	20.00	20.00
Paine, Horace G., Concord.....			200	4.00	4.00
Pope, Amelia V., Missouri.....			11,000	220.00	220.00
Pollard, Frederick H., Florida.....			7,000	140.00	140.00
Quigley, William, Dorchester.....			300	6.00	6.00

Richardson, T. C., Est. of, Weston	1,925	38.50	200	4.00	4.00
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge			16,000	320.00	358.50
Root, Frank K., Chicago			600	12.00	12.00
Seeckts, Albert, Charlestown			2,500	50.00	50.00
Shaw, Nellie K., Woburn			150	3.00	3.00
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston			150	3.00	3.00
Smith, Howard R., Portsmouth, N. H.			200	4.00	4.00
Somes, Mrs. George R.			4,000	80.00	80.00
Sorensen, Hans, Lexington			1,500	30.00	30.00
Stewart, Frank, Waltham			150	3.00	3.00
Storrow, Helen O., Boston	43,250	865.00	151,500	3,030.00	3,895.00
Stow, Elizabeth, Concord			500	10.00	10.00
Thorndike, Sturgis H., Weston			2,000	40.00	40.00
Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee, Wis			250	5.00	5.00
Western Union Tel. Co.	4,236	84.72			84.72
Wheeler, Frank, Est. of, Concord			4,000	80.00	80.00
Wheeler, Henry A., Weston			100	2.00	2.00
White, Robert, Lexington			1,000	20.00	20.00
Wilson, William & Son, Weston			1,500	30.00	30.00
Williams, Dr. Hubert J., Boston	600	12.00	10,000	200.00	212.00
Worcester, Alice, Waltham			1,500	30.00	30.00

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

I herewith submit a brief report of the work done on the trees and against the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths for the year ending December 31, 1927. The methods used in handling the Gypsy Moth while not so extensive were practically the same as in past years with the exception that the spraying of trees on our roadside was omitted again this year. However, I feel in some sections of the Town there has been a large increase of Gypsy Moth egg-clusters deposited and that every owner of shade and fruit trees should have their trees carefully examined and egg-clusters creosoted. It is my earnest hope that we shall never see a return of the conditions of some twelve or fifteen years ago and we must guard against it if possible.

There has not been much change in the Brown Tail Moth conditions from that of last year. The work of cutting brush and cleaning our roadside trees was continued this year. In the north part of the Town we find this work very necessary, and while we may not have to spend a large amount of money on Moth work we can spend the money to good advantage cleaning our roadsides.

The total expenditure of this department is \$1,648.18, of which there has been charged to property owners \$403.77 on account of private work, leaving a net cost to the Town of \$1,244.41. I recommend that \$500 be appropriated for Moth and \$800 and receipts for Tree work.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I have inspected 13 sheep, 550 cows, 4,926 swine. I have made several recommendations to owners, most of which have been complied with. Eight cows and one bull have reacted to the tuberculin test. These animals have been destroyed and the premises disinfected. Two cows have been condemned on account of old age and the carcasses destroyed.

One suspected dog was sent to a veterinary hospital. Its head was sent to the Division of Animal Industry, where the dog was pronounced a victim of rabies. A strange dog came into Town, and after biting one man and killing several hens, was caught in Concord and killed. The carcass was destroyed. As far as I know, no examination for rabies was made in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. FARRAR,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

The Commissioners submit the following report for the year 1927:

The work in the cemeteries has been carried on in the same general manner as in the past few years.

As the Town has recently purchased additional land adjoining the New Cemetery, it seems necessary that roads be plotted out, thus giving the Commissioners an opportunity to start shade trees as soon as possible.

The Commissioners recommend the usual appropriation of five hundred dollars (from Cemetery Fund) for general work, and also a special appropriation of five hundred dollars for the laying out of the land recently purchased.

EDWARD F. FLINT,
FRITZ CUNNERT,
Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER

In Account With

THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1927

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on Hand	\$302.64
	Dividends, American Sugar pfd.	28.00
	Dividends, Union Pacific pfd.	12.00
	Interest on Balance	13.56
	Income from Trust Funds	545.00
	Dividends, Boston & Maine, "A"	17.50
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		\$918.70

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Mar. 9	Town of Lincoln	\$500.00
Dec. 31	Balance	418.70
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		\$918.70

The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer:

Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.
 Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.
 Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund, \$230.79.

Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$17.57.
 Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$17.57.
 Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$17.57.
 John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$29.33.
 Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$29.33.
 George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$5.78.

Francis Flint Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$17.11.
William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$31.78.
Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$21.08.
Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$10.37.
E. H. Rogers Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$17.56.
Ellen T. Trask Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$14.00.
Thomas Huddleston Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$13.98.
Joa Pacewicz Fund, \$400 plus accumulated interest of \$23.44.
Mary S. Rice Fund, \$87.27 plus accumulated interest of \$13.44.
Julia A. Bemis Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$18.87.
Donald Gordon Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$20.33.

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account with

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1927

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$2,021.66
		Dividends, Pennsylvania R. R. Co.....	175.00
		Dividends, Boston & Providence R. R. Co.....	100.00
		Dividends, Old Colony Railroad Co.....	70.00
		Dividends, Boston & Albany R. R. Co.....	140.00
		Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	675.00
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 1st pfd.....	40.00
		Dividends, Great Northern Ry. Co. pfd.....	125.00
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s	50.00
		Coupons, Southern Railway Co. 4s.....	120.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.....	50.00
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 4s	80.00
		Interest on Deposit	36.34
		1 Share New York Rys. Corp., Participating (in liquidation) Final	105.24
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			\$3,788.24
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Feb.	5	Lowell Thomas	\$225.00
	25	Alton H. Blockington.....	75.00
Mch.	8	Doherty Garage	9.00
		P. A. Carter, Postals, Labor.....	12.30
	25	Ratcliffe Holmes	200.00
May	31	P. A. Carter, Postals, Labor.....	4.10
July	4	Waltham Watch Co., Bond.....	241.50
Nov.	1	Eve Elliott Concert	75.00
	15	P. A. Carter, Postals, Labor.....	8.20
	18	Frederic Poole	150.00
	25	P. A. Carter, Postal Printing.....	7.50

30	Hansel & Gretel	200.00
Dec. 6	Doherty Garage	8.00
31	Balance on Hand	2,572.64
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		<u>\$3,788.24</u>

The Fund is invested as follows :

50 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
 5 " Boston Elevated Railway Co. first preferred.
 75 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
 20 " New York Railways Corp. Stock Trust preferred.
 \$1,000 New York Railways Co. 6% Income Bond of 1965.
 \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
 \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
 \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.
 \$2,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4s, 1929.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

1927		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance		\$7,599.92
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1932		105.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1934		175.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1936		560.00
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4¼s due 1928		127.50
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4¼s due 1938		425.00
	Paid 500 Town of Lincoln 4s due 1927		500.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1927		20.00
	Interest on Deposit		325.37
			<u>\$9,837.79</u>

1927		<i>Cr.</i>	
	\$5,000 Note, Town of Lincoln, due Apr. 1, 1928		\$5,000.00
	\$4,000 Note, Town of Lincoln, due Apr. 1, 1928		4,000.00
Dec. 31	Balance		837.79
			<u>\$9,837.79</u>

\$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.

\$3,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due September, 1932.

\$3,000 U. S. Liberty 4¼s of 1928.

\$10,000 U. S. Liberty 4¼s of 1938.

\$5,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due November, 1934.

\$5,000 Note, Town of Lincoln, due September 1, 1928, @ 3½%.

\$4,000 Note, Town of Lincoln, due September 1, 1929, @ 3½%.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD, *Treasurer.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1927

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance principal a/c	\$509.16
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
	Dividends, American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	36.00
	Dividends, Boston Elev. Ry. Co. 1st pfd.	56.00
	Coupon, West Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s.....	25.00
	Rights, 8 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.....	13.56
	Interest	17.90
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		\$661.12
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1927

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$138.40
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	522.72
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		\$661.12
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 7 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company first preferred.
- 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
- 4 shares American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- ½ share Boston Elevated Railway Co. second preferred.
- \$500 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s of 1932.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1927

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$325.69
	Interest	9.92
	2 Rights, N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.....	3.38
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		\$338.99
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1927

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$ 9.92
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	329.07
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		\$338.99
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The Fund is invested as follows:

2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1927

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$18.33
	Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s.....	50.00
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
	Interest79
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		\$72.62

1927

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$54.29
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	18.33
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		\$72.62

The Fund is invested as follows:

$\frac{1}{2}$ share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000. American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account with*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN
LIBRARY

1927

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$35.34
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	7.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Company 5s.....	50.00
	Interest	2.15
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		\$94.49

1927

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$59.15
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	35.34
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		\$94.49

The Fund is invested as follows:

1 share Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1927

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$29.37
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.	21.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.	100.00
	Interest	2.68
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		\$153.05

1927

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$123.68
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	29.37
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		\$153.05

The Fund is invested as follows:

3 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company second preferred.
\$2,000. United States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1927		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$1,400.69
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s, due 1947.....	100.00
		Interest	43.60
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			\$1,544.29

1927		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Paid on Selectmen's orders.....	\$ 50.00
		Balance on Deposit, Income Account.....	1,333.13
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	161.16
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			\$1,544.29

The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1927		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$496.99
		Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.	52.52
		Interest	15.78
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			\$565.29

1927		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	31	Balance on Deposit.....	\$565.29

The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

1927		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$ 84.22
		Interest	3.66
		Coupon, American Tel. & Tel. 4s.....	120.00
		Coupon, Shawsheen Mills 7s.....	140.00
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			\$347.88
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1927		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	3	Balance principal a/c	\$ 8.75
		Balance income a/c	92.28
July	4	Fireworks	246.85
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			\$347.88
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The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 Shawsheen Mills 7s of 1931.
 \$3,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4s of 1929.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

FUND FOR PURCHASE OF SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS

1927

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$5,693.79
		Interest	176.87
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			\$5,870.66

1927

Cr.

Jan.	1	Due \$1,000 Schoolhouse Bond	\$1,000.00
		Coupons, Schoolhouse Bonds, January 1st	60.00
July	1	Coupons, Schoolhouse Bonds, July 1st	40.00
Dec.	31	Balance	4,770.66
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			\$5,870.66

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account with

JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE TOWN

1927

Dr.

Aug.	25	From Trustees of John H. Pierce	1,336.95
Oct.	20	Bank Interest	1.53
	29	From Trustees of John H. Pierce	750.00
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			\$2,088.48

1927

Cr.

Dec.	31	Balance	2,088.48
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

Commissioners.

Report of Treasurer of Lincoln Library for Year Ending December 31, 1927

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1927.....	\$36.45	Water	\$10.00
Cash received from fines	55.15	Light	40.65
Income from Liberty Bonds	8.50	Telephone	31.79
Income from Codman Fund	43.75	Repairs	31.30
Income from Trust Funds:—		Clerical Work	10.00
George G. Tarbell Legacy	\$138.40	Supplies	10.67
George Russell Legacy	9.92	Express and sundries	8.76
John H. Pierce Legacy	54.29	Binding books	25.20
Julia A. Bemis Legacy	59.15	Fuel	220.64
Abbie J. Stearns Legacy	123.68	Magazines	78.15
		Books	263.52
Dog Tax Return	385.44	Salaries	750.00
Town Appropriation	231.21	Income of Pierce Fund, paid to Librarians	54.29
	1,000.00		
		Total expenditures	\$1,534.97
		Balance, January 1, 1928	215.53
			<u>\$1,750.50</u>

The Codman Fund is invested in five shares of Boston & Albany stock. The Trustees also hold Liberty 4½'s to the amount of \$200. The securities are in the custody of the Town Treasurer.

JOHN F. FARRAR,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees submit on the following pages the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer for the year ending December 31, 1927.

The Trustees announce with regret the retirement of Miss Elizabeth G. Chapin as Librarian. She, with Miss Lydia J. Chapin, Librarian Emeritus, have served the Library for many years with a degree of personal interest and faithfulness which is but rarely the good fortune of any town to receive. The Trustees wish to make permanent record of their gratitude for the services rendered by the Misses Chapin to the Library.

Mrs. Edwin F. B. Bodley has been appointed Librarian to succeed Miss Chapin.

The Trustees ask for an appropriation of twelve hundred and fifty dollars for the year ensuing.

GEORGE G. TARBELL
JOHN F. FARRAR
C. LEE TODD
ANTHONY J. DOHERTY

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

Annual Report for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1927

Library open Wednesday and Saturday from 3 to 9 P. M.
except legal holidays.

Number of volumes at beginning of year	11,642
Number of volumes added by purchase	129
Number of volumes added by gift	2
Number of volumes withdrawn during the year	15
Number of volumes at the end of the year	11,758
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use	3,164
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use	723
Number of volumes of children's books lent for home use	1,526
Total number of volumes lent for home use	6,110
Largest number of volumes lent in one day	107
Smallest number of volumes lent in one day	22
Number of days Library was open	102

Accession to the Library for 1927

FICTION

Atherton, Gertrude. The immortal marriage.....	716.43
Bacheller, Irving. Dawn.....	716.44
Biggers, Earl Derr. The Chinese parrot.....	1035.50
Bromfield, Louis. Early Autumn.....	911.35
Brown, Alice. Dear old Templeton.....	716.40
Buchan, John. The dancing floor.....	913.33
Burt, Struthers. The delectable mountains.....	1035.41
Bartley, Nalbro. Morning thunder.....	768.28
Boyd, James. Marching on.....	1036.36
Cather, Willa. My Antonia.....	715.35
Chamberlain, George A. The silver cord.....	1037.25
Chesterton, George K. The return of Don Quixote.....	1015.36
Cooke, Grace MacGowan. Man behind the mask.....	1016.33
Cooper, Courtney R. Oklahoma.....	1035.46
Connell, Richard. The mad lover.....	1034.34
Converse, Florence. Into the void.....	715.42
Curwood, John Oliver. The black hunter.....	1035.40
Davis, William S. Gilman of Redford.....	766.27
De Ford, Alice. Singing river.....	768.30
Diver, Maude. But yesterday.....	725.34
Erskine, John. Galahad.....	715.38
Ferber, Edna. Mother knows best.....	716.41
Ferber, Edna. Show Boat.....	1035.42
Fletcher, J. S. The green rope.....	1011.28
Gale, Zona. Preface to a life.....	1035.39
Galsworthy, John. The silver spoon.....	715.43
Garland, Hamlin. Trail makers of the middle border....	1035.44
Gilbert, Anthony. The tragedy of Freyne.....	758.26
Glasgow, Ellen. The romantic comedians.....	715.39
Goodwin, John. The Avenger.....	911.34
Grey, Zane. Under the Tonto rim.....	715.40
Heyward, Du Bois. Angel.....	1037.24
Hull, Helen. Islanders.....	769.27
Irwin, I. H. Gideon.....	927.32
James, Will. Smoky.....	913.30
Jeffery, Jeffery E. The longest shadow.....	1035.47
John, Foster. The victory murders.....	1034.27
Lagerlöf, Selma. Liliacrona's home.....	1034.30

Marshall, Archibald. That Island.....	716.45
McCutcheon, George Barr. Inn of the Hawk and the Raven	1027.21
Mitchell, Ruth Comfort. Call of the house.....	925.39
Montgomery, James Stuart. Tall men.....	778.31
Morley, Christopher. Thunder on the left.....	913.31
Morrow, Honoré Willsie. Forever free.....	1028.26
Muir, Augustus. The blue bonnet.....	778.27
Mukerji, Dhan Gopal. Secret listeners of the east.....	768.29
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. Miss Brown of X. Y. O.....	758.28
Oppenheim, E. Phillips. The Cleanney syndicate.....	1034.28
Parmenter, Christine W. Unknown port.....	716.42
Pierson, Clara D. The Allens and Aunt Hannah.....	836.31
Poole, Ernest. With eastern eyes.....	715.37
Poole, Ernest. Silent Storms.....	766.28
Rathbone, C. K. Jeremy takes a hand.....	1035.48
Richmond, Grace S. Cherry Square.....	1035.43
Rinehart, Mary Roberts. Lost Ecstasy.....	778.30
Roberts, Elizabeth Madox. The time of man.....	1034.35
Rolland, Romain. Summer	778.28
Rolland, Romain. Mother and son.....	778.29
Rölvaag, O. E. Giants in the earth.....	778.32
Scott, R. T. Ann's crime.....	714.38
Sedgwick, Anne Douglas. The old countess.....	1024.32
Smith, Walton Hall. Shadow River.....	926.28
Stephens, James. The crock of gold.....	715.36
Stern, Gertrude B. A deputy was king.....	1034.31
Thane, Elswyth. Echo answers.....	1034.32
Van Dine, S. S. Canary murder case.....	758.27
Van Dyke, Henry. The golden key.....	913.32
Vachell, Horace Annesley. A woman in exile.....	1034.33
Walch, Maurice. Key above the door.....	1035.49
White, Stuart Edward. Back of beyond.....	716.46
Wren, P. Christopher. Beau Sabreur.....	1034.29
Walpole, Hugh. Harmer John.....	715.41
Young, Francis Brett. Love is enough, 2 Volumes.....	1018.33
Young, Stark. Heaven trees.....	1035.45

JUVENILE BOOKS

Adams, Katharine. Toto and the gift.....	1215.36
Anonymous. Susanna's Auction	C.C. .27
Ashmun, M. No School tomorrow	1228.22
Bianco, M. W. The little wooden doll.....	C.S. .28
Burgess, Thornton. The Christmas reindeer.....	C.S. .29
Chisman, Arthur Bowie. Wind that wouldn't blow.....	C.S. .40
Fuess, C. M. The Andover way.....	846.32
Hall and Maxwell. Charlie and his kitten Topsy.....	C.S. .26
Hill and Maxwell. Charlie and the surprise house.....	C.S. .36
Hinkle, Thomas C. Tawny.....	815.37
Lofting, H. Doctor Dolittle's Caravan.....	816.36
Love, E. M. Rocking island.....	C.S. .41
MacDonald, George. Light Princess.....	C.S. .30
Macdonald, Marcia. The honor girl.....	815.36
Milne, A. A. Winnie-the-pooh.....	C.S. .33
Morrow, Honoré Willsie. On to Oregon.....	1215.37
Mukerji, Dhan Gopal. Kari the elephant.....	C.S. .38
Mukerji, Dhan Gopal. Gay-neck, the story of a pigeon..	C.S. .39
Olcott, F. J. Wonder tales from the windmill lands.....	C.S. .32
Putnam, David Binney. David goes to Greenland.....	846.31
Tee-Van, Helen Damrotch. Red howling monkey.....	C.S. .31
Terhune, Arthur P. Gray dawn.....	1215.35
Thomas, Margaret Loring. George Washington Lincoln goes around the world.....	C.S. .37
White, E. O. Joan Morse.....	C.S. .35
Zwilmeyer, D. Inger Johanne's lively doings.....	C.S. .34

TRAVEL

Bonnard, Abel. In China.....	438.3
Fisher, W. W. The top of the world.....	426.31
Hall, James N. On the stream of travel.....	418.22
Halliburton, Richard. The royal road to romance.....	418.24
MacMillan, Donald B. Etah and beyond.....	438.4
McGovern, William M. Jungle paths and Inca ruins....	438.2
Streeter, Daniel W. Denatured Africa.....	418.23

HISTORY

Close, Upton. Revolt of China.....	351.14
Lawrence, T. E. Revolt in the desert.....	351.13

BIOGRAPHY

Bradford, Gamaliel. Darwin	531.28
Brown, R. W. Dean Briggs.....	531.27
Burbank and Hall. The harvest of the years.....	625.20
Horn, A. A. Trader Horn.....	647.41
Jensen, Carl Christian. An American Saga.....	526.25
Lawrence, William. Memories of a happy life.....	611.14
Lindberg, Charles A. "We".....	527.19
Longstreth, T. Morris. The Silent force.....	537.10
Ludwig, Emil. Napoleon	532.17
Raabe, Captain H. E. Cannibal nights.....	627.16
Woodward, W. E. George Washington.....	531.29
Youssoupoff, Prince Felix. Rasputin.....	647.5

RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY

Browne, L. This believing world.....	1134.19
Durant, Will. The story of philosophy.....	521.13
Grenfell, Wilfred T. What Christ means to me.....	1139.29

ARTS AND SCIENCE

Brooks, Stella. Poems from the country.....	1436.29
McCann, Captain E. Armitage. Ship model making.....	113.16

MISCELLANEOUS

Boielle, J. (compiler). Cassell's French dictionary.....	1614.16
Chase and Schlink. Your money's worth.....	1318.5
Dóoge, B. L. Concise Latin grammar.....	1614.15
Hutchinson, Paul. What and why in China.....	1318.6
Mims, Edwin. The advancing south.....	1543.16
Wanger, R. What girls can do.....	1543.15



ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1927



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, <i>Chairman</i> ,	Term expires 1928
EDITH B. FARRAR (MRS.), <i>Secretary</i> ,	Term expires 1930
GEORGE G. TARBELL,	Term expires 1929

Superintendent of Schools

CHARLES M. ROBINSON

Teachers

Junior High School—Grades VII—VIII—IX

EVELYN A. WADLEIGH

MARION D. PARKER

MARJORIE S. MANSER

Grade VI

MYRTLE C. ELLIOTT

Grade V

OLIVE E. CASE

Grade IV

THELMA E. GODDARD

Grade III

RUTH S. MILLS

Grade II

DOROTHY LINFIELD

Grade I

JOSEPHINE C. DOHERTY

Manual Training

E. W. BURCKES

Typewriting

RUTH M. ROBINSON

School Physician

DR. HENRY A. WOOD

School Nurse

DOROTHY C. RUDOLF

Attendance Officer

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Janitor

EDWARD GRAF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Mid-Winter Term, begins Tuesday, January 9, 1928, ends Tuesday, February 21, 1928; seven weeks.

• *Winter Term*, begins Monday, February 27, 1928, ends Friday, April 13, 1928; seven weeks.

Spring Term, begins Monday, April 23, 1928, ends Friday, June 15, 1928; eight weeks.

Fall Term, begins Wednesday, September 5, 1928, ends Friday, December 21, 1928; sixteen weeks.

Mid-Winter Term, begins Wednesday, January 2, 1929.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

In order that the citizens of the town may know the growth of the schools the committee would call attention to the report of the Superintendent herewith submitted. During the past several years, the entering class has averaged from twenty-five to thirty pupils; taking these figures as a basis, it will be seen that a school of nine grades will soon average from two hundred and fifty to two hundred and seventy-five pupils or thirty pupils to a grade, which number is considered about right for the most efficient work.

During the past year, the committee have had several requests from parents wishing to enter children who under the rule established by the committee and in force for some time could not be entered unless they were six years of age on or before March 1 of the year following the opening of the school year in September. This rule permitted a child to enter when he or she was five and one-half years of age. While the committee does not in any way wish to bar a child from entering school at a time when the parent might feel that it has reached such a mature age, and possibly by reason of having attended a kindergarten or by home attention, yet it is very essential that some time or age limit be set for entering as in no other way can the policy of equal consideration for all be maintained, and possible hints of discrimination by the committee be dispelled. Your committee feels that the rule as now maintained is the best devised at the present time and has worked very well on the whole.

Changes in the teaching force this year have been but few to the great relief of the committee. Miss Marjorie

Manser having been engaged to take the position vacated by the resignation of Miss Mildred MacDougal, teacher of Mathematics in the Junior High School and Mr. E. W. Burckes taking the place of Mr. O'Sullivan as Manual Training Instructor. It is hoped that these changes will prove beneficial.

It has been the aim of the Committee and the Superintendent to procure the services of the best teachers obtainable, having in mind the salaries as established. We would respectfully call your attention to the report of the Superintendent as to what satisfactory progress is being made and maintained in this department.

School Transportation

It was necessary owing to certain conditions having come about to make a few changes in the routes as maintained. There having been a number of City of Boston children boarded at the home of Mrs. Browning on the Kidder or Silver Hill Road and transportation for these children having been paid for by the City of Boston, a route had been so arranged as to pick up these children at the home of Mrs. Browning. Owing to the fact, however, that a number of these children had been removed from the town the urgent necessity of providing transportation in this section has been eliminated and this part of the route discontinued. The pupils attending the high school at Concord are now transported each way by the bus from the Doherty Garage. Heretofore, the morning trip was made by the Waltham and Lincoln Bus and the afternoon trip by the Doherty Garage Bus. Other than the above, there were no changes made in the transportation routes during this year.

School Buildings

The heating arrangement at the South School is still unsatisfactory although extensive changes were made in the heating plants a year ago. These changes have not produced the expected result. Only one of the rooms could be heated to the required temperature. During the present year, this matter of proper heating was again taken up with the Selectmen and other changes made. We have again been assured that these later changes should bring about the desired result. Up to the present, however, sufficient time has not elapsed to give these changes a fair chance. It is the sincere hope of the Committee that a satisfactory solution of this trouble has been definitely found. At the Centre School very little work was necessary to be done during the past year, the main things being the installation of an electric clock system and the replacing of new curtains in certain of the rooms. Both of these matters were quite necessary and have been recommended by the Superintendent for some time.

School Finances

It has been the aim of the Committee at all times to keep within the appropriation allotted for the carrying on of the schools each year. This we are glad to say has been accomplished this year. It will be noted upon a careful examination or reading of the Superintendent's report that a certain amount of the money appropriated for school purposes is of necessity applied in a manner which is definitely fixed, such as high school tuition and high school transportation. It will also be noted that the number of high school pupils is increasing yearly and with this increase goes the increase in the amount required for tuition and transportation. The amount required for salaries of teachers varies very little. This being due to the fact that many of the teachers are now on the maximum.

Heretofore the necessary expenses for extraordinary repairs made on the school buildings has not been taken from the appropriation controlled by the School Committee. These matters were taken care of by the Selectmen and the cost therefor paid out of the miscellaneous appropriation and under the direction of the Selectmen. In order, however, that the people of the town may know the actual cost of the carrying on of the schools including repairs on the buildings, the Committee feels that all matters pertaining to the schools including all repairs on buildings should be controlled by the School Committee and should be included by them in their budget for the year, in no other way can the actual yearly cost of maintaining the schools of the town be known.

Again we would call your attention to matters covered by the Superintendent in his report. It is the desire of the Superintendent and also of the Committee that a close touch be kept by the parent with the Superintendent and teachers as to what progress is being made by the child as in no other way will the parent know what the child is accomplishing at school. We would also direct the parents' attention to the very important matter of seeing to it that the children devote particular attention to their school work first. As time goes on, the idea appears to be growing that the children's first duty is to advance socially and otherwise outside of school. This supposition is entirely wrong and it is the duty of the parent at all times to see to it that the school work comes first and if there is time left for matters outside of school or for diversions of different kinds, these should, in all cases, be secondary. The parent should keep in close touch with the children, also examine carefully its report card before signing and returning the same. Parents should also insist at all times and make this fact known to the teacher and Superintendent that it is their wish that the fundamentals of the school course should come

first and this before social and club work. The ordinary school day is not long and the time required for the essentials of necessity will take up the greater part of this day. We urge the parents to consider this matter very carefully.

The Committee has very carefully prepared its budget for the coming year and have considered increases where necessary only and have striven in every way to keep their required appropriation at the lowest minimum. It appears that an appropriation of thirty-six thousand five hundred dollars will be necessary to carry on the schools for the current year and this sum is hereby recommended by the Committee.

You will find hereto a summary of the expenditures for the year 1927 as also receipts for the amount received by the Town Treasurer on account of the schools.

A full and complete report of the Superintendent and the School Nurse is annexed hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY
GEORGE G. TARBELL
EDITH B. FARRAR

Expenditures on Account of Schools for 1927

Salaries	\$16,975.00
Expenses of Superintendent's Office	125.09
Books	439.44
Fuel	876.00
Miscellaneous Operating Expenses ..	354.46
Repairs	265.38
Health	233.35
Local Transportation	5,657.00
High School Transportation	2,028.30
High School Tuition	5,974.44
New Equipment	483.10
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	\$33,993.41

Receipts on Account of Schools for 1927

From Trustees of Lincoln Grammar School Fund	\$ 59.36
From Commonwealth of Mass. Vocational Education	505.04
From Commonwealth of Mass. Tuition of State Wards	1,524.70
From City of Boston, Tuition of City Wards	556.57
From Commonwealth—High School Transportation	1,926.78
From Commonwealth of Mass. Return on Teachers' Salaries	1,950.00
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	6,522.45
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Net cost of Schools to Town	\$27,470.96

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Committee of Lincoln:

I hereby submit my fifth annual Superintendent's report for the year ending December 31, 1927.

Teachers

The opening of the Fall term found but one new teacher added to the regular teaching force. Miss Marjorie S. Manser of Auburn, Maine, a graduate of Bates College, is now teaching Mathematics in the Junior High School in the place of Miss Mildred MacDougal, who resigned to go to California. Miss Manser brings with her three years of experience in teaching Junior High School Mathematics in So. Paris, Maine.

So far as can be learned from the records, this is the first time in many years there has been but one change in the regular teaching force. Thus the superior calibre of the Lincoln teaching staff has been maintained for another year.

As Concord demanded the entire time of Mr. Robbins, we reluctantly had to look for a new Manual Training teacher. Mr. James O'Sullivan of the Framingham School system was secured to take Mr. Robbins' place. Upon the resignation of Mr. O'Sullivan on January 1, Mr. E. W. Burckes of Waltham was selected to fill the vacancy.

Many elements enter into the possibility of securing and keeping good teachers in Lincoln. One of these is the finding of good boarding places. We have been very fortunate in the past two years in being able to obtain suitable places where the teachers may be contented. The easy

accessibility to Lincoln from Waltham and other larger towns and cities aids greatly in overcoming this difficulty.

Another factor is the payment of reasonable salaries so that larger places will not draw the good teachers away from Lincoln rapidly by the promise of much larger salaries. Since the present salary schedule was put into operation about six years ago, there has been a steady improvement in the teaching force by reason of being able to secure better teachers and also keeping them in Lincoln longer than previously.

No school system is complete, however, without some method of either improving the teachers in the service or of preventing them getting into a rut. Teachers must constantly get new ideas and keep informed of the newer methods and ideas in education. One of the best ways to accomplish this is by taking courses, either in the colleges near at hand, university extension courses offered in Boston and other cities, or by attending summer school for a few weeks. Every teacher owes to herself and to the children she teaches, to keep in touch with the rapid strides being made in education. There is not one of us who knows so much that he or she can learn no more by further study.

As a reward—not an incentive, mind you—to the teachers who try to improve their teaching by further study, additional salary increases have been voted under certain conditions. The School Committee passed the following vote at its June meeting, with a minor amendment at a later date:

The teachers in the Lincoln schools may receive credit for professional improvement as follows:

1. A college credit shall consist of 15 hours of class work of sixty minutes each or its equivalent.
2. Credits may be obtained in college, normal school, university extension or summer school courses.

3. No credit shall be given for an incomplete course.
4. All courses for credit shall be approved in advance by the Superintendent of Schools and School Committee.
5. A teacher who satisfactorily obtains 4 credits in approved courses in one year shall receive \$50 additional salary the following year. The increase shall be for one year only.
6. A teacher who obtains 4 such credits a year for 3 out of 5 years shall be placed and continue on a maximum salary basis \$100 greater than the previous maximum.
7. Every teacher shall, at least once in 5 years, take approved courses giving a minimum of 2 points credit.

Membership

School was opened last Fall with the largest enrollment in the history of the school. As will be noted by the age-grade table at the end of this report, there were 234 pupils enrolled on October 1, 1927. As there were ten gypsy children from three families, the membership was lowered to about normal when they moved about the first of November. 222 is the enrollment as of December 23, 1927.

Attendance

On the whole, the attendance for the past year seems to be very favorable. Especially is this true of the past Fall. Good weather and very little sickness have aided greatly in the high attendance records.

An attendance record was broken this Fall by the eighth grade. From the opening of school on September 7 until November 15, a period of two and a half months, not a single one of the twenty-one pupils missed a day of school. This is the first time within the history of the present school

records that a grade has had 100% attendance for more than one month.

A comparison of the percentages for the Fall of 1927 with the corresponding months of the previous year shows what the epidemics of whooping cough and typhoid fever did in 1926.

1927				
	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Grade IX	94.40	98.15	96.55	100.00
VIII	100.00	100.00	99.42	96.19
VII	98.68	98.34	98.54	98.75
VI	96.69	95.53	95.86	96.03
V	97.82	96.82	95.38	94.44
IV	98.61	98.27	98.74	96.96
III	98.10	97.65	97.82	94.64
II	94.87	95.45	98.05	95.77
I	93.71	91.94	95.92	91.04
Average	97.10	96.91	97.36	95.98

The list of pupils who did not miss a day of school during the entire year is greater this year than ever before. In addition to the 18 pupils listed below, there were 11 who missed but one day, 12 were absent only two days, and 16 for three days. The number of non-absences for the past five years is as follows:

1926-27	18
1925-26	12
1924-25	11
1923-24	15
1922-23	7

The following pupils were not absent during the school year 1926-27. One star against the name denotes that the pupil had perfect attendance during 1925-26; and two stars signifies perfect attendance for 1924-25 and 1925-26.

II Leonard Melanson
Athlon Huntley

III Jeannette Campobasso
*Norma Recchia

IV John Chaves
Robert Furiga

V William Clark

VI John Algeo
*Allan Montgomery
*Natalie Recchia

VII Irene Christie
John Edgar
**Virgil Poland
Chester Peck

VIII Albert Cunningham
Ethel MacLean

IX Gordon Cunningham
Alma Langille

Percentage of Attendance for 1926-27

Grade	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Ave.
IX	96.07	94.40	*96.45	*91.95	91.51	*99.84	98.33	96.95	97.95	98.04	*96.15
VIII	93.90	*96.73	96.10	86.15	88.67	97.57	98.64	93.05	96.86	*99.46	95.16
VII	96.68	95.32	92.88	89.40	*95.41	95.35	*98.76	*97.79	96.25	97.52	95.71
VI	97.06	95.69	95.58	88.04	93.75	96.04	97.703	96.66	96.16	97.82	95.43
V	96.80	93.90	92.35	88.26	88.75	93.86	97.83	95.95	97.08	97.83	93.72
IV	94.91	95.23	83.47	88.76	90.18	96.61	96.43	95.46	96.72	97.71	93.58
III	*97.49	96.38	89.25	67.71	91.35	97.49	96.85	96.85	*98.43	95.01	92.74
II	93.20	92.76	92.04	90.02	92.14	95.86	95.21	94.00	94.97	97.95	93.87
I	97.24	92.63	79.55	72.79	86.44	93.51	97.45	89.15	97.45	97.96	90.81
Average	95.93	91.45	90.85	84.79	90.91	96.24	97.47	95.10	96.87	97.70	94.25

*Indicates banner attendance for month.

Age—Grade Distribution

The table at the end of this report which is entitled "Membership by Age and Grade October 1, 1927" may not mean much to many people, but with a little analysis I am sure you will agree it is of great significance. The law requires any town having ten or more children who are at least 3 years retarded to maintain a special class for such children. Has Lincoln over this amount?

A study of the table will show that the children of normal ages are contained between the dark vertical-horizontal lines, with the underage ones to the right. It will be noticed there are nine boys and two girls who are three or more years over age for their grade. This might be alarming were it not for the fact that five of these eleven pupils were gypsy children who moved November 1st. This simply leaves six pupils in the group who are three or more years retarded; which is a very small percentage of the total number of boys and girls.

School Play

Under the direction of Miss Wadleigh, the school play "Stung," given on Friday evening, April 29, 1927, was a great success. The proceeds from this fourth annual play were again used toward the promotion of visual education in the schools. The cast of characters was as follows:

John Channing	Charles Carney
Clara Channing	Elvera Laurin
Mrs. Bennet	Margaret Dean
Walter Bennet	Harold Gregory
Marie, Mrs. Bennet's maid	Alma Langille
Mrs. Freeman, Clara's mother	Lydia Roberts
Mr. Conrad	Gordon Cunningham
Mr. Denning	John Farrar

School Exhibition

As the Town Hall was deemed too small to again hold a combination exhibit of school work and graduation exercises on the same evening, a novel arrangement was made last June. On Friday evening, June 10, 1927, the Centre School exhibition was held in the various class rooms. Regular class work was held for an hour in all the grades from the third through the ninth, beginning at 6.45 p. m. Pupils were dismissed at noon on that day in order that they might return in the evening.

There was a large attendance of parents, who were unanimous in their opinion that the exhibit, class lessons, physical exercises and fire-drill were all a great success.

Grades One and Two of the South School had their exhibition and classroom demonstrations on Thursday afternoon, June 9, from one to two o'clock.

The graduation exercises of the ninth grade were held at the Town Hall on Thursday evening, June 16, 1927. The program and a list of the graduates may be found at the end of this report.

High School

Of the 21 pupils in the ninth grade last year, 18 went on to high school, one to Boston Trade School, one to the Waltham Nurse's Training School, and only one did not go on for further study.

As there were very few Lincoln pupils graduating from high school, the number attending this year has been greatly increased. At the present time there are 53 Lincoln pupils attending high school: 24 in Waltham, 27 in Concord, one in Boston Trade School and one attending the Newton Vocational School.

The number of high school pupils has been gradually increasing, as may be seen by the figures for the past five years:

1923-24	37 pupils
1924-25	32 "
1925-26	35 "
1926-77	45 "
1927-28	53 "

This growth in high school membership has been one of the large factors for the increase in school costs, although it must be remembered that some of this expense is returned to the town treasury by the State. The present indications are that the number entering high school next September will just about equal those graduating in June.

Your Superintendent has kept in close touch with both the Concord and Waltham High Schools to see how well the Lincoln pupils are doing. The results have been very gratifying, especially this last Fall. Out of the 51 pupils in both these high schools, there is but one pupil who has failed in more than two subjects for the first three months. For the month of November, there was but one pupil of the twelve who entered Concord in September who received a flunking mark in any subject, and that person in only one course. It is our wish that the Lincoln pupils continue their good work in the high schools.

Health

Since the close of the typhoid fever epidemic last January, the school has been fortunate to escape any serious illness. Although there had been a clinic for inoculation against typhoid at the Town Hall during the Christmas vacation in 1926, it was considered wise to hold another free clinic at the school in January. Over 50 pupils were inoculated at this clinic held from January 7 to 21, 1927.

The Schick test and diphtheria inoculation was given again in March. The nurse's report gives a detailed account of this clinic work.

The dental clinic was held every Friday from March 4 to May 27, 1927. Dr. Edward Frye was the dentist for his third season in Lincoln. That the dental work has borne fruit is shown by the voluntary assertion of the school physician, Dr. Wood, during his yearly physical examination this Fall, when he stated that the children's teeth were on the whole the best he had ever seen. We hope the Dental Clinic Committee will be able to make this clinic a permanent annual affair.

The regular systematic physical exercises have been carried on during the year—out of doors whenever possible, and in the classrooms only during bad weather. During the Autumn months a special posture class was formed. Each teacher sent pupils with poor posture into the class where they were kept until they proved they could stand and sit in good position.

On account of the typhoid fever, serving of cocoa was postponed until January 24, 1927. It was continued until March 25, 1927. Owing to the late start, the total expense \$119.19, was slightly smaller than usual. Of this amount \$75 was contributed by the Grange, the balance being given by parents and pupils.

Merit Prizes

All who attended the graduation exercises last June were greatly thrilled at the awarding of the merit prizes. Early in the school year, a father who wished his name kept secret, offered five dollars to the boy and a similar amount to the girl in the Junior High School, who should be judged the most worthy by the teachers and the Superintendent.

After considerable study and discussion it was finally decided to make the awards on the basis of these five points:

1. Scholarship; 2. Leadership; 3. Responsibility; 4. Co-operation; 5. Conduct (including attitude).

There are many things to be learned in school that the boys and girls may not get out of books. Expert knowledge without moral character as a basis is not real education. Leadership of the right kind—not only on the athletic field, but also in the classroom—is one of the important factors in training for life. Pupils have plenty of opportunity to develop leadership in school.

The word responsibility covers a wide range of the pupil's daily tasks. Are home lessons completed and passed in on time; is a pupil honest with himself and his fellow pupils in his school studies; can the boy or girl be trusted to act properly when the teacher's back is turned; does he have to be watched in the corridors, basement or on the playground? These are only a few of the factors that might be listed under the heading of responsibility.

In a way, co-operation might overlap part of the traits listed in the above point. Does a pupil get along well with his teachers and his classmates, or is he or she always pouting, quarrelling or irritable?

A pupil's conduct really includes all the above, but under it we have listed attitude. Not **what** is done but **how** it is done, is what we are chiefly concerned about in this case. The old maxim that actions speak louder than words applies to this factor.

Toward the end of the school year the American Legion offered five dollars to be used for some educational purpose; and so it was deemed wise to divide this amount as second merit prizes for a boy and girl.

The prizes awarded were as follows:

	Girls	Boys
First Prize.....	Margaret Dean	Harold Gregory
Second Prize.....	Elvera Laurin	John Farrar
Hon. Mention....	Alma Langille	Gordon Cunningham

I am glad to announce that the donor of the first prizes has signified his intention of awarding these prizes again this year. It is to be hoped that the awards may become a permanent annual affair.

Co-operation

During the past year I feel that the parents have co-operated very much with the teachers, although there really aren't as many visits to the schools as I should like to see. Some mothers have remarked to me, "I don't like to bother the teacher." As a matter of fact, both teachers and pupils enjoy the friendly visits of parents; for is there anyone who does not like to proudly display the good work he or she is doing?

From the school's point of view these "Pointers for Parents", by E. W. Stitt, Associate Superintendent of Schools, New York City, might prove mutually beneficial.

1. Insist that your children shall never be late at school.
2. They should never be absent, except when absolutely necessary. In that event, see that a written excuse is brought by the child when he returns.
3. Be specially careful with the little ones who are starting in the kindergarten or 1A classes. Help them to love to go to school.

4. Upper-grade pupils usually have lessons to study or prepare. See that assigned tasks receive careful attention.
5. Let the children do their own home work. They should not need your help.
6. Textbooks should be neatly covered. All children should be as careful of the property of the city as of their own.
7. Cleanliness of face, hands, and body should be required. "Cleanliness is next to godliness."
8. Remember how weary you become of taking care of one child. Have plenty of sympathy, therefore, for the teacher who has a class of 50.
9. Examine the monthly report cards of your children before you sign them. Require a record of "A" or "B+" if possible.
10. If your children are untruthful, dishonest, or disobedient, it necessarily reflects discredit upon you, and is some indication that the home training you give them falls short of what it should be. Do not blame the teacher.
11. Have a high regard for the principals who are responsible for the safety and education of your children and thousands of other pupils as well. Their positions are more important than those of bank presidents.
12. Teachers are also worthy of your highest appreciation, because they have the real task of instructing your children and in training them to become good Americans.

The feelings of one Massachusetts teacher are told in the following poem published in "Common Ground" which I am sure will be of interest to all.

A Toast to Parents

Sometimes I think that parents
Are a funny kind of folk,
And yet they seldom see, themselves,
Just wherein lies the joke.

They come to us, so serious
About their children dear,
That we must grave as judges be,
And let no smile appear.

"My son's extremely brilliant,"
So says the fond mamma.
Alas! with us, that brilliant son
Comes hardly up to par.

"My darling child," another cries,
"Has ne'er been understood."
We understand his heedless ways.
'Most anybody could.

"Have you a grudge against my child?
Why should you keep him back?
His work at home is wonderful.
I fail to see his lack."

So cries the father in his wrath,
Around promotion day;
Yet we both know that child of his
Has spent the year in play.

We hear about the picked-on child.
 The nervous child we know.
 The child who is so sensitive,
 And thus the stories go.

We listen, and we sympathize,—
 But, I'll confess to you,
 We have a feeling that to us
 The sympathy is due.

Sometimes, I think that parents
 Are the nicest kind of folk:
 And when I say this thing to you,
 I leave behind—the joke.

Just lay some need before them,
 And hear their quick reply,—
 “What can we do to help you?
 What part can we supply?”

Perhaps some skeins of worsted
 For little hands to weave,
 Perhaps gifts big and generous
 For school use we receive.

It's not the gift that matters.
 It's the spirit in it all.
 It's their readiness to answer
 When they understand the call.

The faith these parents give us,—
 It should keep us staunch and true:
 “Do as you think best with Mary.
 I am trusting her to you.”

And best of all, the letter
 We so delight to get:
 "What you have done for Johnny
 We never can forget."

At parents, wise or funny,
 You may smile, as I have done.
 Yet I say, and you will join me,
 "God bless 'em every one."

Improvements

A new steam boiler was installed in the South School during the summer vacation. While an improvement in heating conditions has been made, the existing conditions are not wholly satisfactory yet. With another minor change, we hope to make the situation still better.

Electric lights were installed in the entries and the basement of the South School during the summer.

During the Christmas vacation, electric clocks were installed in the Centre School. In order to avoid confusion in the building because of the varieties of time of the several clocks, this system was considered essential by thus having a uniform time throughout the building. All the bells for classes, recesses, etc., will be operated automatically by this system, thus insuring accuracy at all times.

New window shades have been purchased and installed in three of the rooms on the upper floor of the Centre School. The old ones which had been in use for years were much the worse for wear. The new shades not only improve the appearance of the school rooms, but also are built for the pupils' comfort.

Junior High School

There seems to be such a mistaken idea in the minds of many of the townspeople as to what a junior high school is, that I wish to outline briefly what constitutes this type of school. The thought as expressed or implied by many persons that the ninth grade of school—that is, the first year of a four year high school—is separated from the upper three years and designated as “junior,”—this thought is erroneous.

A junior high school is defined as a school adapted to the needs of pupils approximately 12 to 15 years of age. Some towns and cities are organized with grades 7 and 8 in the junior high school, but in most places such a school includes grades 7, 8 and 9. This gives six years to the elementary school, three to the junior high and three to the senior high school, and is known as the 6-3-3 plan.

The years of the junior high school cover an important period of physical transition. These years constitute the major part of the adolescent period. During these years the pupil passes from a compulsory school attendant to a possible industrial worker; that is, a pupil who has completed the sixth grade work may leave the regular school at the age of 14 and go to work, provided he attends continuation school until 16.

Under the 8-4 plan there was a wide gap between the elementary school and the high school. In the grades the pupils had one teacher for all subjects; in the high school there was a different teacher for each study. The content of the subject matter was entirely different in the high school; pupils began Latin, Algebra, Science and other subjects not taught in the elementary school. The methods of instruction differed greatly in the two schools. High School pupils were allowed to choose one of many

"courses" and even to elect certain subjects within the division; in the grades all studies were required, allowing no choice whatsoever. Again, in the grades, although the teacher may have had a program of studies, the pupils went from one subject to the next at the command of the teacher and not at any set time; whereas high school pupils are required to change from one room to another every period and often do not have their classes coming in the same order any two days of the week.

It was with these difficulties—and many more—in mind that the junior high school originated. Its main purpose, then, is that of a transition school. This transition should be natural, gradual, and effective. All of the above changes must be made gradually with all the guidance possible given to each individual pupil. A careful study of the special needs, interests and abilities of every pupil should be made in order to guide him as intelligently as possible.

With this guidance idea clearly in mind, it is easy to see that a pupil should be given a general insight into many lines of study and not specialize in any one subject until he has shown special interest or ability in that particular field. This purpose has caused subjects of a general nature to come into the junior high curriculum: General Science, giving an insight into health, physiology, biology, chemistry and physics; General Language, an exploratory course in foreign language; and General Mathematics, which not only includes arithmetic and some algebra, but also gives the pupil a vision of intuitive geometry and trigonometry.

In the past the work of the upper grades has too often been wholly academic and traditional and much limited both in scope and richness. By complete and thorough scientific investigations it has been proved that pupils should have satisfactorily mastered the tool subjects of read-

ing, writing and arithmetic fundamentals by the end of the sixth grade. In the seventh grade we find the beginning of enrichment of the school studies which is entirely essential in our modern complex civilization.

The pupils are allowed to make these changes gradually—having different teachers in the seventh grade but not being allowed any choice of subjects. One or possibly two electors are made in grade eight, with an increasing number in grade nine. Teachers who are specialists in their subjects teach in the junior high school. We can no longer expect one person to teach every subject in the intermediate grades where both content and method are vitally important.

In the junior high school the pupils should develop to an increasing degree the power of self-control and self-direction. Pupil participation in the school government by means of monitors and room leaders is only one way this is done. In changing rooms, pupils must develop considerable responsibility. Various clubs in most schools provide means for pupils to develop self-direction.

The junior high school was designed to give all boys and girls equal educational opportunities according to their abilities. Only a very small percent of them go on to college,—in fact it is too early to decide before the end of the ninth grade whether a pupil can or should prepare for college. Many pupils who cannot even go to high school are held in school a year longer than under the 8-4 plan.

Here in Lincoln our task is somewhat simplified by the fact that almost all of our small membership go on to the senior high school. The chief difficulty, however, is that we must prepare for two high schools which differ in their requirements. With this in mind we have endeavored to give as complete an education as possible to those who do

not choose to go to high school and also to provide as many of the necessary requirements as are needed should the pupil decide to go either to Waltham or Concord.

There is no question but that a junior high school costs more than a graded school. What really counts is whether or not we are justified in this additional expense. I think we are. We cannot give the boys and girls the same kind of education they received twenty-five years ago and expect them to readily adjust themselves to the complexities of our modern life. If we can guide them to acquire more knowledge, good habits and a right attitude to become better and more useful citizens, then our time, efforts and money could not have been more wisely spent.

Finances

At the end of this report will be found a table of statistics showing the cost of the schools for the last five years as taken from the Massachusetts state reports. Although the total expenditure for the support of schools within the town has increased steadily each year, the amount paid from local taxation has not shown such a decided change.

Many citizens do not realize that the educating of their children does **not** actually cost them the amount they appropriate for schools at the annual town meeting. For example, let us look at the summary of expenses for the year 1927. We find the gross amount paid out by the school department was approximately \$34,000. This, however, was not the actual cost to the town, as about \$6,500 was received from the various sources named. The latter amount goes into the town treasury and is not—in fact **can not** be used by the school department. It is because of the misunderstanding about the “receipts on account of schools” that many taxpayers consider the schools as costing more than is actually the fact.

A comparison of the school costs for 1927 with those of the previous year will show that approximately \$2,000 more was spent in 1926. Practically three-fourths of this increase was for high school tuition and transportation. As I have shown in another part of this report, the number of pupils going on to high school has grown considerably during the past five years. A careful estimate at the present time shows that we will have to pay \$1,500 more for high school pupils during the coming year.

There is no one who appreciates the value of economy any more than the writer, and an honest attempt has been made to keep the expenditures within reasonable limits. On the other hand, however, I think the citizens of Lincoln wish to have a feeling of pride in their schools, not only in the physical properties but also in the results shown by the pupils. We have secured exceptionally fine teachers who take an individual interest in the pupils, and we have purchased equipment, supplies and books which were absolutely necessary. It is the hope of all connected with the schools that time will prove this money has been well spent,—not only in the marks these pupils will receive in high school, but more important in the kind of characters we have molded in these future citizens.

In conclusion, I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the teachers, parents and school committee for the courtesies extended to me during the past year; for it is only by the utmost co-operation of all concerned that we can hope to succeed in educating the youth of today to become the responsible citizens of tomorrow.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. ROBINSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

LINCOLN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Graduation Exercises

June 16, 1927

Town Hall, Lincoln, Mass.

1. Salutory, GORDON CUNNINGHAM
2. Song, "Recessional," JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
3. Class History, Part I, IRENE BUCHANAN
Part II, JOHN FARRAR
4. Class Prophecy, MARGARET DEAN
5. Essay, "China," CHARLES LENNON
6. Song, "When the Roses Bloom Again,"
JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
7. Class Poem, ALMA LANGILLE
8. Class Will, Part I, HAROLD GREGORY
Part II, CHARLES CARNEY
9. Valedictory, ELVERA LAURIN
10. Awarding of the Merit Prizes by the Superintendent,
MR. ROBINSON
11. Song, "Daybreak," JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

GRADUATES

BUCHANAN, IRENE	GREGORY, HAROLD
BUTCHER, DORIS	HAGERTY, AUGUSTA
CAMPOBASSO, MARY	HOUGHTON, BETH
CARNEY, CHARLES	JOHANSEN, ROSE
CHAPMAN, THOMAS	KEARSLEY, GEORGE
COOK, JOHN	LANGILLE, ALMA
COTOIA, MARY	LAURIN, ELVERA
CUNNINGHAM, GORDON	LENNON, CHARLES
DEAN, MARGARET	MORT, MARJORIE
FARRAR, JOHN	PENKETH, ANNIE
ROBERTS, LYDIA	

Statistics for Year Ending June 30, 1927

Pupils enrolled	233
Boys	132
Girls	101
Vocational and High School Pupils	41
Non-resident pupils attending school in Lincoln	11
Average Daily Attendance	197
Number of days schools were in session	180
Average Membership	207
Expenditure for Support, Exclusive of General Control	\$24,722.76
Per pupil in average membership of elementary schools	119.43

The School Dollar

1927

Health	.70%
General Control	2.13%
Equipment and Repairs	2.20%
Books and Supplies	3.01%
High School Transportation	5.97%
Operation	6.57%
Local Transportation	16.64%
High School Tuition	17.57%
Teachers	45.22%
Local Instruction	48.23%
	100.00%

Statistics for Last Five Years

Year	Average membership for year.	Number of State and City of Boston Wards.	Net number of Lincoln pupils.	Expenditure for Salaries of Superintendent Principal and Teachers.	Cost of transportation to schools within town only.	Expenditure for support of schools within town.	Expenditure for school support from local taxation, year ending Dec. 31, per \$1,000 valuation.	Expenditure for support of public schools from local taxation, year ending Dec. 31.
1922-23	208	21	187	11,962.23	4686.25	19,507.52	9.62	21,846.62
1923-24	211	24	187	13,179.12	5514.65	23,070.86	9.97	21,886.18
1924-25	221	21	200	14,580.00	4917.50	22,976.27	9.23	20,939.31
1925-26	219	28	191	15,535.25	5565.00	24,182.26	9.87	23,193.71
1926-27	207	11	196	15,845.95	5817.00	24,722.76	8.46	22,698.20

Membership by Age and Grade, October 1, 1927

BOYS

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Total
Grade I.	5	7	1										13
II.		2	7	4	3	1							17
III.			5	8	3	0	1	0	1				18
IV.				3	4	3	1						11
V.					5	7	4	3	2				21
VI.						4	9	4	1	2			20
VII.							4	4	2	4	2		16
VIII.								3	9	0	1		13
IX.									4	0	1		5
Total	5	9	13	15	15	15	19	14	19	6	4		134

GIRLS

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Total
Grade I.	8	10											18
II.		4	10	3									17
III.			2	5				1					8
IV.				6	6	1							13
V.				1	1	4	0	1					7
VI.						1	5	2	1				9
VII.						2	2	3	1	1	1		10
VIII.								1	5	1	2		9
IX.									5	2	2		9
Total	8	14	12	15	7	8	7	8	12	4	5		100

ANNUAL REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Lincoln School Committee:—

A report of the school nursing for the year ending December 31, 1927 is hereby submitted.

Both schools have been visited daily. 634 office calls of pupils treated or advised. 172 home visits made, and 37 trips to various doctors' offices and clinics, such as Walter E. Fernald School, Ayer Orthopedic Clinic, and Waltham Hospital Throat Clinic.

In September Dr. Wood vaccinated 4 pupils and made physical examination of 225 pupils finding:

- 60 cases of tonsils
- 35 cases of adenoids
- 42 cases of cervical glands
- 2 cardiac cases under treatment
- 1 case of cholorea
- 50 pupils with carious teeth
- 5 pupils with stained teeth

Of the 60 cases of tonsils approximately 20% have been advised for special follow-up work. Dr. Wood found a great improvement in all the pupils' teeth, and praised the work of the Dental Clinic.

All children have been weighed and measured four times during the year; 32 pupils 10% or more underweight in September, six less than last year. Five children in last year's underweight clinic were re-examined in April by Dr. Millet from the State Department; an improvement was found in all.

Proper eye tests have been made and 4 pupils have had eye defects corrected.

Physical drill has been conducted as in other years with one special group for those with poor posture. The pupils work hard and are always glad to graduate from this class.

During the school year there have been: 2 cases of Scarlet Fever, 2 cases of Mumps, 2 cases of Scabies. A year practically free from contagious diseases.

For prevention work we have had Typhoid Inoculations for approximately 120 children, between the two clinics, one held in the Town Hall on Sundays during January, and the other at Centre School during school hours.

Our second Diphtheria Prevention Clinic was held during March, the work being done by Dr. H. A. Wood, school physician, assisted one morning by Dr. Jones from the State Department of Health. 72 pupils were re-Schicked, 77 pupils given toxin-antitoxin, including 12 pre-school children. We hope to be able to offer toxin-antitoxin early in the Fall of 1928 to the entering class and present first grade.

The Lincoln Dental Committee, Mrs. Susan M. Loring, Chairman, conducted a Dental Clinic which began March 11, 1927, continuing, one day a week, for 10 school weeks. The dentist was Dr. Edward Frye of Boston. This was his third year of dental work in the Lincoln Schools. Rates were the same as last year, 50c for cleanings, and all other work done on the basis of \$2.50 an hour.

Total number of pupils treated	50
“ “ “ cleanings	43
“ “ “ extractions	42
“ “ “ fillings	155

During June and July Pre-school visits were made to families where we knew there were prospective scholars for Grade I, giving them a school physical record blank, and recommending that when they go to their family physician for vaccination, a physical examination of the child be given to find defects to be corrected before the child enters school. Only 3 first grade pupils were vaccinated by the school physician, against 12 of the preceding year.

41 days were spent in Sudbury.

Respectfully submitted with thanks to all school authorities and parents for co-operation and courtesy shown.

DOROTHY C. RUDOLF, R. N.

Lincoln, Massachusetts
January 18, 1928

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WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the fifth day of March next at one o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the 5th day of March next:

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Said notices to be posted at least three (3) weeks before the closing of the warrant.

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HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this WARRANT with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 25th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

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Town Clerk.

THOMAS L. GILES

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

C. LEE TODD (Chairman)	Term expires 1931
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	.	.	.	.	" " 1929
HERBERT G. FARRAR	.	.	.	.	" " 1930

Assessors.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN (Chairman)	.	Term expires 1929
HERBERT G. FARRAR	.	" " 1930
THOMAS J. DEE	.	" " 1931

Treasurer.

GEORGE G. TARBELL

Collector of Taxes.

THOMAS L. GILES

Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM

School Committee.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY	Term expires 1931
EDITH B. FARRAR	" " 1930
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" " 1929

Water Commissioners.

JOHN J. KELLIHER	Term expires 1931
SUMNER SMITH	" " 1929
ROBERT R. HUNTER	" " 1930

Board of Health.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON	Term expires 1929
GEORGE G. TARBELL	" " 1931
DONALD MACOMBER	" " 1930

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

C. LEE TODD	Term expires 1931
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" " 1929
CONRAD P. HATHAWAY	" " 1930

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires 1930
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" " 1929
C. LEE TODD	" " 1931

Cemetery Commissioners.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires 1931
FRITZ CUNNERT	" " 1929
HAROLD P. WHITNEY	" " 1930

Field Drivers.

HERMAN T. WHEELER
WALDO LANGILLE
HENRY LEE HIGGINSON

Fence Viewers.

CONRAD P. HATHAWAY
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ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman School Committee ex-officio*

Registrars.

ERNEST H. MacFARLAND	Term expires 1930
HARRY M. CONDIT	" " 1931
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY, JR.	" " 1929

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

**Proceedings of a Town Meeting held
March 5, 1928**

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ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
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Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant the Town Meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, at the time and place appointed, who read the Warrant and presided at the election of Moderator.

ART. 1. George G. Tarbell was elected Moderator.

ART. 3. The following were elected to serve during the ensuing year:

Field Drivers.—

Robert R. Hunter
Walter Hallett
Lester Pearson

Fence Viewers.—

Conrad P. Hatheway
David C. Bowen

Surveyor of Lumber.—

Elmer A. Rollins

Measurers of Wood and Bark.—

Elmer A. Rollins
Charles E. Woodhull

Trustees Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway
F. Winchester Denio

ART. 4. Voted that the reports of all the Town Officers, as printed in the Town Report, except the reports of the Treasurer and Board of Assessors, be accepted.

Voted that the Report of the Treasurer be accepted.

Voted that the Report of the Board of Assessors be accepted.

ART. 5. Under this Article the following appropriations were voted:

For Schools	\$36,500.00
“ Support of Poor	1,400.00
“ Highways and Bridges	14,000.00
“ Station Road (to be taken from the Treasury)	7,500.00
“ Library (and Dog Tax)	1,250.00
“ Cemetery	500.00
“ Preliminary work on Land recently purchased and to replace Headstones and Markers in Old Cemetery	500.00
“ Board of Health	1,100.00
“ Tree Warden	800.00
“ Tree Warden, Moth Work	500.00
“ Miscellaneous including Police	9,000.00
“ Hydrants and other Water Service	2,180.00
“ Waltham Free Hospital Bed	400.00
“ Street Lights	2,100.00
“ Fire Department	1,000.00
“ Middlesex Extension Service	200.00
“ Water Works Sinking Fund (to be taken from Water Works Income)	827.00
“ Maintenance of Chapter 90 Roads	
Not to exceed	1,000.00
“ Street Lighting in North Lincoln	319.00

Voted that from the appropriation of \$1,100.00 for the Board of Health plus the receipts of the Health Nurse, such amount to include the salary of the Health Nurse, the direction of whose work shall be vested in a committee of three, one a member of the Board of Health, chosen by that Board, one a member of the School Committee, chosen by that Committee and one chosen by the Board of Selectmen.

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ART. 8. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1928, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; any debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the said financial year.

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ART. 10. Voted that the Town authorize the Sinking Fund Commissioners to transfer the balance of the fund for the purchase of School House Bonds to the Town Treasury.

ART. 11. Voted to accept Section 23 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws, which provides for the election of Town Officers within seven days before or after the annual Town Meeting.

Voted that the Town sanction the calling of the Town Meeting in the evening.

Rising vote: Yes 123, No 38.

ART. 13. Voted to lay on the table.

ART. 14. Voted to lay on the table.

ART. 15. Voted to act on Articles 15 and 16 together.

ART. 16. Voted that a Committee of the Selectmen and two others to be appointed by the chair, to erect a Flag Pole and Tablet, suitable as a memorial to the men who took part in defending their Country in all wars.

Voted that the Committee act in consideration of Article 16 and report at the next Town Meeting.

ART. 17. Voted to lay on the table.

ART. 18. Voted that a Committee of three, consisting of John J. Kelliher, George A. Graves and one other to be appointed by the Selectmen and to report to the Town on the possibility of establishing a Town Forest.

ART. 19. Voted to lay on the table.

ART. 20. Voted that the Selectmen be directed to post notices in at least five places, giving February 1st as the last day for accepting Articles for the Warrant, said notices to be posted three weeks, at least, before February 1st.

ART. 21. Voted that the Town appropriate the sum of three hundred and nineteen dollars for street lighting in North Lincoln and that the Selectmen be authorized to take the matter up with the Edison Company.

Voted to adjourn.

TOWN ELECTION

The election held on March 10, 1928, under provision of Article 2 of the Warrant, was called to order by the Moderator, George G. Tarbell, at 12 o'clock M. The following were appointed Ballot Clerks and Tellers: Raymond E. Hagerty, Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., Charles M. Robinson, Mrs. May Bodley and Mrs. Edith M. Stone.

The Ballot Box was inspected and found to be in good working order.

The Polls were closed at 6.30 P. M.

The result of the election was as follows:

Total number of votes cast	499
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For Town Clerk.—

Thomas L. Giles (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	389	votes
Roderick B. Laird, rec'd	27	“
Mabelle Rogers, rec'd	1	“
Blanks	82	

For Selectman—3 Years.—

C. Lee Todd (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	410	votes
Herbert G. Farrar, rec'd	2	“
John Rogers, rec'd	1	“
Blanks	86	

For Selectman—2 Years to fill Vacancy.—

Herbert G. Farrar (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	299	votes
Anthony J. Doherty, rec'd	189	“
John F. Farrar, rec'd	1	“
Blanks	10	

For Assessor—3 Years.—

Thomas J. Dee (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	359	votes
George E. Cumming, rec'd	1	"
Benjamin E. Carlson, rec'd	26	"
John Adams, rec'd	1	"
E. R. Wheeler, rec'd	1	"
Frank Gustin, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	110	

For Treasurer.—

George G. Tarbell (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	396	votes
John Adams, rec'd	18	"
R. B. Laird, rec'd	1	"
Warren Rice, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	83	

For Collector of Taxes.—

Thomas L. Giles (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	416	votes
R. B. Laird, rec'd	2	"
H. P. Whitney, rec'd	1	"
Robert C. Kinney, rec'd	1	
Blanks	79	

For Auditor.—

James W. Lennon (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	415	votes
Blanks	84	

For Constables.—

John J. Kelliher (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	421	votes
George E. Cuningham (Elected and Sworn)	374	"
W. B. Riley, rec'd	1	"
Isaac Langille, rec'd	1	"
Michael Diamond, rec'd	1	"

For School Committee—3 Years.—

Anthony J. Doherty (Elected), rec'd	374	votes
Bertha Scripture, rec'd	1	"
James E. Lahey, rec'd	1	"
P. Craven, rec'd	2	"
Donald Macomber, rec'd	1	"
Andrew Dougherty, rec'd	1	"
Theodore Quinby, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	118	

For Water Commissioner—3 Years.—

John J. Kelliher (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	406	votes
Blanks	93	

For Board of Health—3 Years.—

Richard K. Conant (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	382	votes
R. C. MacKenzie, rec'd	3	"
R. G. Loring, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	113	

For Tree Warden—1 Year.—

John J. Kelliher (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	398	votes
Blanks	101	

For Sinking Fund Commissioner—3 Years.—

C. Lee Todd (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	405	votes
John Adams, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	93	

For Sinking Fund Commissioner—2 Years to fill Vacancy.—

Conrad P. Hatheway (Elected and Sworn)	67	votes
F. W. Denio, rec'd	3	"

H. G. Farrar, rec'd	4	"
A. J. Doherty, rec'd	1	"
W. C. Robus, rec'd	1	"
Sumner Smith, rec'd	7	"
C. Lee Todd, rec'd	8	"
John Adams, rec'd	7	"
Chester G. Peck, rec'd	1	"
George G. Tarbell, rec'd	4	"
C. J. Newman, rec'd	1	"
H. P. Whitney, rec'd	4	"
John H. Rogers, rec'd	1	"
Edward F. Flint, rec'd	1	"
C. F. Cutter, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	288	

For Trustee Bemis Fund for Free Lectures—

3 Years.—

C. Lee Todd (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	393	votes
E. F. Flint, rec'd	1	"
H. P. Whitney, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	104	

For Cemetery Commissioner—3 Years.—

Edward F. Flint (Elected and Sworn), rec'd	383	votes
Teto Florio, rec'd	1	"
H. G. Farrar, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	114	

For Cemetery Commissioner—2 Years to fill Vacancy.—

Harold P. Whitney (Elected	rec'd	75	votes
Edward F. Flint, rec'd		2	"
C. Lee Todd, rec'd		3	"
Sumner Smith, rec'd		5	"

Fritz Cunnert, rec'd	5	"
C. P. Hatheway, rec'd	6	"
W. C. Robus, rec'd	2	"
Chester G. Peck, rec'd	4	"
James Corrigan, rec'd	1	"
H. G. Farrar, rec'd	3	"
H. T. Wheeler, rec'd	1	"
W. H. Sherman, rec'd	9	"
Benjamin E. Carlson, rec'd	1	"
Harold S. Cousins, rec'd	1	"
A. H. Higginson, rec'd	1	"
John J. Kelliher, rec'd	1	"
Bertha Bowles, rec'd	1	"
R. E. Hagerty, rec'd	3	"
Warren Sherman, rec'd	1	"
J. L. Hoyt, rec'd	1	"
Ephraim B. Flint, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	372	

On the question "Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of Non-Intoxicating Beverages in this Town" 137 voted in the affirmative and 157 in the negative.

The meeting adjourned at 7.30 P. M.

On petition of 13 Legal Voters, a recount of the votes cast for Selectman for 2 years to fill the vacancy, was held on March 21, 1928, with the following result:

Herbert G. Farrar, rec'd	298	votes
Anthony J. Doherty, rec'd	190	"
John Farrar, rec'd	1	"
Blanks	10	

On March 24, 1928, the Selectmen appointed the following to serve as Registrars of voters:

Harry M. Condit	for 3 years
Ernest H. MacFarland	" 2 "
Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr.	" 1 "

The following have been sworn as Special Police for the current year:

Isaac Langille	Herbert G. Farrar
Mathew H. Doherty	Henry Warner

Proceedings at a Special Town Meeting held in the Town Hall, Lincoln, August 28, 1928

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables in the said Town of Lincoln,
GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby ordered to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Tuesday, the 28th day of August next at 8 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following Articles, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days, at least, before the 28th day of August next.

ART. 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Station Road, so called, said sum to be in addition to the amount appropriated at the annual Town Meeting of this year, and authorize the borrowing of any or all of said sum, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 3. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to draw a Zoning Plan of the Town in accordance with Section 25, Chapter 40 of the General Laws and appropriate a sum for the necessary expenses of the same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 4. To see if the Town will instruct the Water Board to extend the water pipes on the North Great Road (Massachusetts Avenue) from the house of E. H. Rogers to land of Walter Barthel, et al, on the same road.

HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,

HERBERT G. FARRAR,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

On the reverse of the above Warrant is the following:

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one at the Railroad Station seven days before the date of said meeting.

(Signed) JOHN J. KELLIHER,
Constable.

In accordance with the provisions of the foregoing Warrant, the Special Town Meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, at 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening of August 28, 1928, and the following business transacted:

ART. 1. Anthony J. Doherty was elected Moderator.

ART. 2. Voted that there be raised and appropriated a sum not exceeding seven thousand dollars for the purpose of resurfacing the Station Road (so called), said sum to be in addition to the amount appropriated at the annual Town Meeting of 1928, and that to meet said, the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is, authorized to borrow said sum under authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Item 8, Section 7, Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall in not more than two years from the date of issue of the first bond or note or at such earlier dates as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine. The above vote was unanimous.

ART. 3. Voted that a committee be appointed by the Selectmen to draw a Zoning Plan of the Town for presentation at the next annual Town Meeting and that the sum of one thousand dollars be appropriated for this purpose.

ART. 4. Voted that the whole matter, contained in Art. 4 of the Warrant, be referred to the Water Board.

Voted to adjourn.

The members of the committee appointed by the chair, under provisions of Articles 15 and 16 of the Warrant, for the Town Meeting of March 5, are:

Albert S. Graves

Mrs. Bridget Norton

The committee appointed by the Selectmen to draw a Zoning Plan for the Town Meeting are:

George G. Tarbell

Sumner Smith

Thomas J. Dee

Andrew J. Dougherty

Thomas L. Giles

Vital Statistics

There have been recorded during the year 1928 13 Marriages, 21 Births and Deaths.

Marriages

Date of Marriage	Names	Residence
Feb. 1, 1928	John Thomas Johansen Doris Marion Dermott	Lincoln Waltham
Mch. 4, 1928	Lawrence P. Hallett Elizabeth V. Gilbert	Lincoln Lincoln
Apr. 19, 1928	Jerry John Cotoni Lillian Rita Sousa	Lincoln Somerville
May 27, 1928	Morton Rice Seavey Bernice Evadel Cousins	Westford Lincoln
June 15, 1928	William A. Wheeler F. Beatrice Donaldson	Worcester Lincoln
June 16, 1928	Raymond J. Harrington Florence Penketh Dunbar	Weston Lincoln
June 19, 1928	George M. Rooney Madeline C. Innes	Lincoln Medford
June 23, 1928	Edmund Russell Davis Susan Horton Graffam	Lincoln Northampton
Aug. 4, 1928	Lyman E. DeRusha Florence M. Perry	Lincoln Sharon
Sept. 17, 1928	Leslie T. Pennington Elizabeth E. Daniels	Lincoln Saxonville
Nov. 24, 1928	Robert S. Foote Minerva I. Craig	Weston Lincoln
Dec. 1, 1928	Warren P. Adams, 3rd Ethel Steves MacRae	Cambridge Lincoln
Dec. 27, 1928	Charles W. Smith Grace V. Kay	Boston Fort Madison, Iowa

Births

Date of Birth	Name	Names of Parents
Jan. 2, 1928	Norma MacDonald	William and Jennie B.
Jan. 28, 1928	Shirley Lorraine Wheeler	Ralph N. and Grace E.
Feb. 11, 1928	George Henry Gonzales	Chester P. and Beatrice
Mch. 23, 1928	Elizabeth Flagg	Nolan R. and Mary R.
Mch. 3, 1928	Shirley MacDougall	Russell H. and Margaret
Oct. 29, 1928	Cornelius Robert Shea	Cornelius T. and Catherine
Sept. 14, 1928	Albert William Hanlon	Albert W. and Katherine L.
Oct. 3, 1928	Olive Ann Brooks	Albert S. and Maud M.
Nov. 13, 1928	John Wesley Fiske	Richard H. and Lucy M.
Feb. 4, 1928	Charlotte Ann Browning	George U. and Isabelle S.
Feb. 14, 1928	Leland John Pearl	Leland J. and Anna F.
July 9, 1928	John Howard Stone	Edward M. and Edith C.
July 9, 1928	Sara Mellen Stone	Edward M. and Edith C.
Aug. 16, 1928	Mary Louise Sherman.	James E. and Mildred G.
Sept. 16, 1928	Wm. Leonard Harrington	William L. and Catherine A.
June 28, 1928	Robert Peder Neilson	Peder and Margaret
Oct. 15, 1928	George Gordon Harris	Warwick V. and Elizabeth
Oct. 19, 1928	Lorrin W. Ferdinand, Jr.	Lorrin W. and Irene D.
Nov. 5, 1928	Patricia Ann MacFarland	Ernest H. and Inger S.
Dec. 1, 1928	Hastwell T. Montgomery	Hastwell T. and Pearl C.
Dec. 21, 1928	Judith Kinney	Robert C. and Alice G.

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS CHAP. 29 AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given.

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Licenses Issued in 1928

There have been 110 Dogs licensed in 1928—90 males, 18 females and 2 spayed females, for which the County Treasurer has been paid \$248.60.

There have been 50 Resident Citizen's Sporting Licenses, 2 Resident Citizen's Trapper's Licenses, 9 Minor Trapper's Licenses and 2 Duplicate Licenses issued, for which the sum of \$105.50 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

The foregoing is a true copy from the records of the Town of Lincoln.

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1928:

The Board was organized by the choice of C. L. Todd, Chairman, and R. D. Donaldson, Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Forest Warden and Moth Superintendent, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, John J. Farrar.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, J. Redmond Hartwell, Henry Warner, Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., John Adams, Henry Adams, Daniel Ryan, Richard Hartnett, John Campbell, L. Dugan, F. Hart.

District Nurse Committee, Robert D. Donaldson.

Inspector of Slaughtering, J. J. Kelliher.

Special Police and Game Warden, Isaac Langille.

Fire Engineers, M. H. Doherty, Thomas Dee, J. J. Kelliher, H. G. Farrar, A. J. Dougherty, H. S. Cousins, Sumner Smith.

Zoning Committee, George G. Tarbell, Thomas J. Dee, Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., Sumner Smith, Thomas L. Giles.

Registrars, Harry M. Condit, for 3 years; E. H. MacFarland, for 2 years; Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., for 1 year.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1928 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1928	The Selectmen recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year
For Schools	\$36,500	\$36,000
Public Welfare	1,400	2,200
Highways and Bridges	14,000	15,000
	and receipts	and receipts
Highways a/c Maintenance of Chap- ter 90, Roads	1,000	1,000
Station Road Loan	O	7,000
Cemeteries	500	500
Library and Dog Tax	1,500	500
Zoning Committee	O	1,000
Board of Health	1,110	2,000
	and receipts	and receipts
Tree Warden	800	800
	and receipts	and receipts
Moth Work	500	500
Miscellaneous Expenses, including		
Police Expenses	9,000	11,000
Hydrants and other Water Service	2,180	1,980
Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400	400
Street Lights	2,100	2,450
Fire Department	1,000	1,000
Middlesex Extension Service	200	200
Town Note of 1928	O	15,000

Finances

The Treasurer's report for the year ending December 31st, 1928, shows a credit balance of \$12,500 and from the Collector of Taxes report we find uncollected taxes of \$9,500, making available \$22,000. This money should be used to pay a Town note, borrowed late in December in anticipation of taxes, of \$15,000 and also to retire a note of \$7,000 borrowed to complete the resurfacing of the Station Road. Both of these notes become due in 1929.

Highways

The Station Road has been resurfaced at a total cost to the Town of \$15,075 with no aid from the State or County. As no new construction is contemplated this year we hope to do a reasonable amount of resurfacing on one or two roads that are in need of such repair. The Selectmen are of the opinion that it would be wise and economical for the Town to buy a small motor dump truck and keep only four horses for work on the roads.

C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,
Selectmen.

REPORT OF WARS MEMORIAL AND FLAGPOLE COMMITTEE

Your committee—consisting “of the Selectmen and two others” appointed by the chair,—Mrs. John H. Norton and Albert S. Graves being the appointees,—submit the following report:—

The Committee organized with Mr. Graves as Chairman.

Locations for the Memorial, its type and style, its possible cost and suitability to town requirements were gone into in some detail.

Your committee found a large range prevailing as to price, and a correspondingly large variety of suggested designs.

We feel, however, that a suitable memorial—including flagpole cost and equipment—can be erected for approximately three thousand (\$3000.00) dollars.

This expenditure seems warranted, when it is considered that the town has never erected an official memorial to its citizens who enlisted in their country's defense, and therefore any recognition of their services should be of such character as to honor these men for all time.

C. LEE TODD

ROBERT D. DONALDSON

HERBERT G. FARRAR

MRS. JOHN H. NORTON

ALBERT S. GRAVES, *Chairman*

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350
1690

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

The work of the Board of Health for the past year has consisted largely in attention to routine matters. Following the adoption of the rules and regulations now in force, in 1927, there has in general been great improvement in the situation in Lincoln. All dairies which are supplying milk retail in Lincoln have been, and are being, tested for tuberculosis. Inspection has shown an improvement in the conditions under which milk is produced. In regard to the piggery situation there has also been improvement. The new plan of having the health nurse act as agent for the Board of Health is working most satisfactorily. Her duties include the visiting of all communicable diseases which are reported to the Board by private physicians and the supervision of quarantine according to the regulations. She also collects samples of milk for analysis (every three months) and is prepared to take cultures or other material for emergency examination whenever requested by a physician. In this connection it may be added that the Board has entered into very satisfactory arrangements with the town of Wellesley, so that we can have milk samples analyzed at regular intervals and cultures, or other pathologic material, examined.

The Town has been fortunate in not having any serious outbreak of communicable diseases. We did not have a single case of infantile paralysis though our neighbor, Waltham, had a large number. There was a rather extensive epidemic of measles but the cases were all light and no extraordinary measures were required. There were a few more cases of scarlet fever and pulmonary tuberculosis than normal.

Your Board has no specific recommendations to make.
The list of communicable diseases follows:

Chicken Pox	1	Scarlet Fever	11
Influenza	1	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	3
Pneumonia	2	Whooping Cough	13
Measles	93		

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD MACOMBER
RICHARD K. CONANT
ROBERT D. DONALDSON

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

To the Chairman of the Board of Health:

In accordance with a vote passed at the annual Town Meeting of March the fifth, 1928, the Board of Health, the School Committee, and the Selectmen chose a committee to have charge of the work of the Town Nurse, each Board naming one member. This committee consists of Dr. Macomber as Board of Health Representative, Edith B. Farrar as School Committee representative, and Mr. Donaldson as the appointee of the Selectmen. Mrs. Farrar has acted as chairman.

The nursing work has been quietly but efficiently carried on by Mrs. Dorothy Rudolf Snelling. As usual the School Committee report contains a statement from the school nurse, which shows something of what is done through the schools for the physical welfare of our children. As agent of the Board of Health, the nurse has had increased opportunity to aid in the health work of the Town. The number of district calls for 1928 is by far the largest reported since our nursing service was instituted. This is most gratifying, in that it shows that the nurse is becoming more and more useful to our townspeople. The district calls are classified as follows: Medical 583, Surgical 146, Child welfare 56, Olstetric work 67, and T.B. cases 6,—making a total of 858.

The financial arrangement for 1929, may well be taken care of in the following way: The School Committee budget carries \$400 for payment of salary of school nurse.

Sudbury will pay at least \$350 for services of our nurse in its schools. These two sources of income will furnish \$750 of nurse's salary and there will be left a balance of \$850 to be included in the Board of Health appropriation. The fees will almost certainly take care of the running expenses of the car and of the necessary supplies.

It would be sound economy to buy for the nurse's use a new car, to replace the one which has been in service since October, 1926. The old car is beginning to wear out, and if kept too long will be a source of annoying expense to the Town. It is respectfully urged that the Board of Health appropriation contain an estimate for the purchase of a new car during the current year.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH B. FARRAR
DONALD MACOMBER
R. D. DONALDSON

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

The Town of Lincoln appropriated \$200.00 in support of the Middlesex County Extension Service through the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture for 1928. The following is a report of the work accomplished during the year.

In Agriculture the principal service rendered this year has been along the line of answering requests for individual farm visits. Thirty-six farm visits have been made principally to the dairymen and market gardeners. Lincoln was represented by three members in the Herd Improvement Association. A plowing demonstration was conducted to show the proper methods used in the control of the European Corn Borer. Judges were furnished for the local Grange Fair.

In Homemaking a total of forty-two women attended the homemakers' groups this past year. Groups were conducted in North Lincoln and South Lincoln. Mrs. Herbert Farrar served as Leader in the South Group, and Miss Sarah Brooks in the North Group.

A series of five Home Improvement meetings were held in each of these communities. As a result, homemakers have reported that many improvements in kitchens have been made. The Nutrition Program consisted of a series of four meetings. The homemakers report that their meal planning problems have been simplified. The homemakers in these units have passed on what they have learned to sixty-two others who could not attend the meetings. This

fall these groups carried on a Clothing Program of four meetings to discuss Line and Design in Dress and short-cuts in Garment Finishes.

In Boys' and Girls' 4-H club work fifty-three were enrolled in food, garden, handicraft, clothing, and canning clubs. Mrs. Myrtle Allen, Miss Marion Parker, and two out of town leaders acted as Local Leaders. The following boys and girls were awarded prizes by the Lincoln Grange and G. G. Tarbell for doing the best work in the gardening and canning 4-H clubs:—Advanced garden work; first prize to Clifford Bowles; second prize to George Dean; third prize to Arthur Powers. First year garden work; first prize to Teddy Matucieski; second prize to William Dean and Sydney Dubchausky (partners); third prize to Stuart Christie; fourth prize to Henry Flint. Canning: first prize to Ruby Poland; second prize to Ebba Nelson.

Chester Peck and Clifford Bowles were awarded a two-day trip to the Massachusetts Agricultural College for doing outstanding 4-H Club work.

Eight educational motion picture shows were given to a total attendance of 1640.

In addition to the above local work, the citizens of the town had an opportunity to attend the country-wide meetings in the interest of various phases of agriculture and homemaking and also received circular letters giving timely suggestions on problems pertaining to the Farm and the Home.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMON T. WHEELER.

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Outstanding Bonds December 31, 1928

Issue of 1900 due 1930 3½s, J. & D.....	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd 3½s, J. & D. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupons 3½s, M. & S.....	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd 3½s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 3½s, M. & N.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Reg'd 4s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	4,000.00
Issue of 1927, note due Sept. 1, 1929.....	4,000.00
	\$64,000.00

REPORT OF THE WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners respectfully submit the following report:

The Water Works as a whole are in good physical and financial condition, and while they remain about their present size, no drastic changes are contemplated. A note of \$4,000 is due in 1929, which finishes the debt for the new pipe on Station Road. Earnings should cover expenses, maturing bonds, and interest charges, and accumulate for growth and improvements.

1,472 feet of 6 inch pipe were laid on Pierce Hill Road by day labor, replacing cement pipe. This leaves about 500 feet to finish.

92,321,000 gallons were pumped at a cost of \$23.85 per million gallons, figured on salary and power expenses. This low cost is partly due to omitting the last Edison bill which was received late.

SUMNER SMITH
JOHN J. KELLIHER
ROBERT R. HUNTER

Statistics Relating to Distribution System

Mains

1. Extended during the year, none.
2. Discontinued during the year, none.
3. Mains renewed during year, 1472 ft. (Pierce Hill).
4. Total now in use, 27.571 miles.
5. Number of hydrants added during the year, 1.
6. Number of hydrants replaced, 2.
7. Number of hydrants (public and private) now in use, 135.
8. Number of stop-gates renewed, 6. Number of stop-gates added during the year, 1

9. Number of stop-gates now in use, 154.

10. Number of blow-offs, 30.

11. Range of pressure on mains, 40 pounds to 100 pounds.

Services

12. Renewed, 4. Discontinued, 0.

13. Number of service taps added during the year, 7.

14. Number now in use, 402.

15. Meters now in use, 14.

WATER REPORT

Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending December 31, 1928

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance on hand January 1, 1928	\$ 3,467.79	Selectmen's orders	\$8,672.19
T. L. Giles, Collector	12,772.41	Town of Lincoln Sinking Fund, Loan	5,000.00
Bank interest	58.55	Balance on hand December 31, 1928	2,626.56
Total	<u>\$16,298.75</u>	Total	<u>\$16,298.75</u>

Operating Account for year ending December 31, 1928

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Rates	\$11,576.25	Power	\$1,371.06
Meter	1,196.16	Salaries	831.48
Sundry	58.55	Interest	2,374.25
Deficit	841.23	Repairs and Renewals	3,188.79
		Miscellaneous	79.61
		Town of Lincoln Sinking Fund, Loan	5,000.00
		Water Works Sinking Fund	827.00
Total	<u>\$13,672.19</u>	Total	<u>\$13,672.19</u>

WATER REPORT (Continued)

Capital Account

ASSETS

Construction
Sinking Fund
Bills uncollected
Cash on hand

\$193,460.96
47,924.28
3,569.80
2,626.56

Total

\$247,581.60

LIABILITIES

Bonds outstanding
Notes outstanding
Surplus

\$60,000.00
4,000.00
183,581.60

Total

\$247,581.60

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

South Lincoln, Mass.,
February 9, 1929.

To the Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their twenty-first Annual Report ending December 31, 1928:

Force

The Fire Department consists of the following: one chief, six engineers and nineteen call men.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: one 600 gallon pump, two combination trucks, **twenty-seven** extinguishers, eight ladders and 2,500 feet of hose.

Location of Apparatus

Pump and Number 2 Combination Truck at Doherty's Garage, South Lincoln, and Number 3 Combination Truck at T. J. Dee's, North Lincoln.

Fires

Thirty-five alarms have been answered. Pump and Number 2 Combination Truck responded to three chimney, eighteen forest and grass, four building, one auto fire and three false alarms. Number 3 Combination Truck responded to six forest and grass fires.

Total loss \$3,500.

Very truly,

M. H. DOHERTY, *Chief*

T. J. DEE

J. J. KELLIHER

H. G. FARRAR

A. J. DOUGHERTY, JR.

H. S. COUSINS

SUMNER SMITH

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1928:

Very little snow fell last Winter, and in January and February we worked on the Station Road, cutting trees and digging out the side of the road.

In March, we filled the ruts with crushed stone and scraped the back roads, patched roads, etc.

In April and May, we teamed sand, patched roads, put out oil and tar and covered the same.

In June, finished work on the general repairs and started work on building the Station Road.

During the next three months we worked on Station Road and cut some brush about Town.

In October the Station Road was finished and the roads patched and some gutters filled up, etc.

In November and December patched the roads, built guard rail fence about Town, dug out some bad corners that were dangerous and put up the snow fence for Winter.

The amount appropriated for the roads was:

Highway repairs	\$15,000.00
Receipts available	7,700.80
Station Road	7,500.00
Amount borrowed a/c Station Road	7,000.00
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Total	\$37,997.80

The amount expended is approximately as follows:

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Labor	\$2,894.00
Repairs	1,393.00
Supplies	1,479.00
Hay and grain	1,188.00
Telephone and light	70.00
Trucks	1,100.00
Rent and water	412.00
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Total	\$8,536.00

AMOUNT ON STATION ROAD

Labor	\$3,800.00
Stone	4,335.00
Tarvia X.	5,550.00
Roller	500.00
Wood and coal	140.00
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Total	\$14,325.00

STATE AID

Labor	\$3,758.00
Horse and truck	2,550.00
Stone	825.00
Tarvia X.	1,185.00
Oil	2,297.00
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Total	\$10,615.00

Labor on Station Road, Special, last	
Winter	\$751.00

The condition of the Highway Department is about the same as last year, the White truck has proved very satisfactory both in Summer and Winter.

The guide boards are in very good condition. I have put up several new ones during the last year, and there are some to be repainted this coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

The Town of Lincoln has received the amount of all taxes assessed prior to April 1, 1928.

Of the 1928 levy on December 17, there had been paid to the Town Treasurer the sum of \$51,306.08.

Since that date there has been collected the sum of \$3,604.03, leaving about \$9,500.00 to be collected.

THOMAS L. GILES,
Collector.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the money paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen of Lincoln.

I have visited Mr. Todd at his office and was shown all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,

Auditor.

SCHOOLS

PAYMENTS

Town Treasurer, Teachers' and Janitor's Salary	\$16,239.00
Town of Concord, Tuition	3,936.80
City of Waltham, Tuition	1,781.20
City of Boston, Tuition	359.95
City of Newton, Tuition	335.26
Town of Weston, Tuition	80.00
Malcolm Graf, Tuition	45.00
Mass. Teachers Retirement Board, Deductions	658.00
Boston & Maine R. R. Students Tickets	445.00
Edith B. Farrar, Taking School Census	15.00
H. A. Wood, M. D., Professional Services	200.00
Town of Lincoln, Services of Nurse	400.00
American R. R. Express Co., Express	25.17
Laffins Bedford Express, Express	1.25
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services of Light	50.08

New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services of Telephone	74.94
Doherty Garage, Insurance on Bus	178.00
Thomas J. Dee, Insurance on Bus	89.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	1.75
Charles Woodhull, Care of Pianos	42.00
Doherty Garage, Transportation	5,053.00
Waltham Auto Exchange, Transportation	368.34
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation	1,460.00
John Cook, Transportation	66.00
John & Algeo, Transportation	36.60
Ralph E. Butcher, Transportation	36.20
Blanche Mandigo, Transportation	27.00
Henry A. Butcher, Transportation	14.20
Annie Diamond, Transportation	13.60
C. M. Robinson, Expenses	164.47
Marion Parker, Expenses in Cooking Supplies	12.66
Lincoln Water Works, Water Service	75.50
Edward Graf, Labor on School Grounds	18.00
Barry Printing Co., Printing	4.25
Wright & Potter, Printing	2.22
Board of Health, Services of Town Nurse	400.00
George E. Cunningham, Labor	12.00
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	826.40
Hollis & Howe, Repairs on Clock	3.50
Highway Department, Labor	48.00
Isaac N. MacRae Co., Labor and Supplies	287.91
Edward McLeod, Labor and Supplies	187.95
Manning MacRae, Labor and Supplies	208.47
Langille Bros., Labor and Supplies	70.04
Milton Bradley Co., Supplies	145.44
Masury-Young Co., Supplies	115.98
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins, Supplies	114.15
Andrews Paper Co., Supplies	73.86
H. L. Anderson, Supplies	68.75
Ginn & Company, Supplies	67.16

E. E. Babb & Co., Supplies	68.56
Charles A. Esty Paper Co., Supplies	62.50
J. L. Hammett Co., Supplies	53.92
Webster Publishing Co., Supplies	55.87
MacMillan Co., Supplies	44.05
Waltham Lumber Co., Supplies	51.84
Arts Publishing Co., Supplies	49.08
Wilbur-Gilpatric Co., Supplies	46.48
George Barker Co., Supplies	39.45
Benjamin Sanborn & Co., Supplies	30.08
Dolge & Company, Supplies	30.00
Jacobus Pneumatic Ink Well Co., Supplies	29.34
C. E. Merrill Co., Supplies	28.74
Frank Richardson, Supplies	28.03
Iroquois Publishing Co., Supplies	22.95
Rollins Bros., Supplies	27.68
Hall & McCreary Co., Supplies	21.60
Doherty Garage, Supplies	20.59
Charles Scribners & Son, Supplies	18.93
Lyons & Carnahan, Supplies	18.88
James W. Brine & Co., Supplies	19.39
J. B. Hunter, Supplies	15.53
Current Events, Supplies	14.00
Rand-McNally Co., Supplies	12.63
J. B. Lippincott Co., Supplies	12.74
Houghton Mifflin Co., Supplies	11.33
Invoice, Supplies	11.96
Duva Printing Co., Supplies	11.25
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	10.18
Dorothy R. Snelling, Supplies	10.18
Strofflex Co., Supplies	10.00
Barnes & Noble, Supplies	9.14
George Johnson, Supplies	9.00
Scott-Foreman & Co., Supplies	9.09
Wheeler Publishing Co., Supplies	7.68

Teachers College, Supplies	7.90
Wentworth Allen, Supplies	7.63
American Book Co., Supplies	6.35
Waltham Publishing Co., Supplies	6.00
American Radiator Co., Supplies	5.26
Reformatory for Women, Supplies	5.23
Office Appliance Co., Supplies	5.85
The University Publishing Co., Supplies	3.39
Clifford S. Cobb Co., Supplies	3.15
College Co., Entrance Book, Supplies	2.50
Allyn & Bacon, Supplies	2.19
Bruce Publishing Co., Supplies	2.32
Silver-Burdett Co., Supplies	1.28
Longmans-Green & Co., Supplies	1.22
A. N. Palmer & Co., Supplies	1.12
Harvard University Press, Supplies	1.00
Ruth M. Robinson, Teaching	10.00
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Total	\$35,934.11

HIGHWAY STATION ROAD

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Labor as Supt.	\$540.00
Charles Shanks, Operating Steam Roller	404.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	386.00
Charles Hews, Operating Steam Roller	384.00
Town of Weston, Services of Steam Roller	500.00
Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	5,454.15
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	137.91
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Supplies	3,905.36
J. T. Hoyt, Wood	3.50

Joseph Mahan, Labor	380.00
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	380.00
William H. Ryan, Labor	380.00
George Monaldi, Labor	380.00
John W. Rooney, Labor	372.00
Walter Hallett, Labor	356.00
John F. Farrar, Labor	180.00
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	68.00
Andrew Doherty, Labor	52.00
James T. Calkins, Labor	38.00
John MacNeil, Labor	24.00
Total	<hr/> \$14,324.92

HIGHWAY STATE AID

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Services as Supt.	\$684.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	442.00
William H. Ryan, Labor	440.00
John W. Rooney, Labor	440.00
George Monaldi, Labor	436.00
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	432.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	416.00
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	256.00
John F. Farrar, Labor	96.00
Walter Hallett, Labor	92.00
Charles Hews, Labor	24.00
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	2,297.43
Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	1,185.23
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Supplies	747.57
General Crushed Stone Co., Supplies	105.86

Lincoln Highway Dept., Labor of Horses	652.50
Lincoln Highway Dept., Labor of Truck	1,867.50
Total	<hr/> \$10,614.09

HIGHWAYS

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Services as Supt.	\$504.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	326.00
George Monaldi, Labor	322.00
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	320.00
William H. Ryan, Labor	320.00
John W. Rooney, Sr., Labor	320.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	288.00
John F. Farrar, Labor	30.00
John W. Rooney, Jr., Labor	2.00
John E. McHugh, Labor on Snow, 1928	16.00
George E. Cunningham, Labor on Snow	22.00
Elmer Bean, Labor on Snow	24.00
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service of Light	14.54
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service of Telephone	60.54
Lincoln Water Works, Water	12.00
Storrow Farm, 19,490 lbs. Hay	194.90
Daniel E. Sherman, Hay and Labor	230.00
C. S. Smith, Est., Rent of Barn	400.00
Thomas F. Coan, Care of Horses	360.00
Herbert Neally, Painting	28.00
David Farquaher, Making of Sign Boards	22.00
Mass. Dept. of Public Works, 1 Truck	100.00
Rollin Bros., Weighing	1.60
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Supplies	637.35
Doherty Garage, Supplies	430.13

Standard Oil Co., Supplies	266.15
The White Company, Supplies	261.02
Charles Roper, Supplies	158.08
Dyer-Sales Co., Supplies	235.92
Peter Perry, Supplies	137.35
Good Roads Machine Co., Supplies	135.70
Wilson Lumber Co., Supplies	131.49
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Supplies	133.62
Benjamin W. Pike, Supplies	109.15
B. L. Ogilvie, Supplies	80.50
Barber-Asphalt Co., Supplies	59.40
Rice's Garage, Supplies	48.78
Lexington Lumber Co., Supplies	43.15
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	63.78
Barbour-Stockwell Co., Supplies	43.00
Berger Mfg. Co., Supplies	30.24
New England Machine Co., Supplies	26.97
Chester Clark, Supplies	19.20
McCone Bros., Supplies	16.40
George H. Boothby, Supplies	5.13
John A. Burgess, Labor and Supplies	419.35
Klaur Bros., Labor and Supplies	64.23
Edward McLeod, Labor and Supplies	18.47
A. D. Moreau, Labor and Supplies	11.77
Wood-Hydraulic Co., Labor and Supplies	7.60
Langille Bros., Labor and Supplies	17.70
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor	827.11
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor	41.00
J. W. Milbury, Labor	8.25
Harold Stevens, Labor	45.85
Charles S. Smith Est., Chestnut Posts	37.50
William H. Sherman, Cash paid for Hay	40.00
Joseph Sousa, Labor on Snow	4.00
Total	<hr/> \$8,532.92

HIGHWAY SPECIAL

 PAYMENTS

Dyar-Sales Machine Co., Supplies	\$56.00
George E. Hunter, Labor and Supplies	155.23
William H. Sherman, Labor as Supt.	108.00
George Monaldi, Labor	72.00
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	72.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	72.00
William H. Ryan, Labor	72.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	72.00
John W. Rooney, Labor	72.00
Total	<hr/> \$751.23

MISCELLANEOUS

 PAYMENTS

Edward Bannon, Care of Public Buildings	\$720.00
Lincoln Water Works, Services of Water—	
Town Hall	50.00
Thomas L. Giles, Services as Town Clerk, 1927	200.00
George E. Cunningham, Services as Constable, 1927	35.00
Isaac Langille, Services as Constable	54.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Constable	1,500.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services	118.99
American R. R. Express Co., Express	4.99
Charles S. Wheeler Est. & El., Abatement of Taxes	20.00
Charles M. Robinson, Services at Primaries and Election	24.00

Raymond Hagerty, Services at Primaries and Election	24.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services at Primaries and Election	19.00
Donald Donaldson, Services at Primaries and Election	15.00
Edmund Giles, Services at Primaries and Election	10.00
Edith S. Stone, Services at Primaries	9.00
May Bodley, Services at Primaries	5.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Services at Primaries	5.00
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	710.80
Minute Man Press, Printing	52.25
F. H. Lawrence, Printing	15.00
P. A. Carter, Printing	6.70
Davol Printing House, Printing	5.25
Concord Journal, Printing	2.50
P. B. Murphy, Printing	2.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor at Town Hall, 1924	158.01
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor at Town Hall, 1925	76.76
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor at Town Hall, 1927	568.31
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor at School House, 1926	18.20
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor at School House, 1927	302.06
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor on Flag Pole, 1926	10.63
E. E. Harrington, Labor at Town Hall	20.00
Edward McLeod, Labor at Town Hall	110.52
Harry Saunders, Labor at Town Hall	9.10
P. J. Keefe, Labor and Supplies—Town Hall	608.93
Isaac Langille, Services as Game Warden	1.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Special Police	25.00
George G. Tarbell, Services as Town Treasurer	300.00
C. Lee Todd, Services as Selectman	200.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Services as Selectman	200.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Selectman	200.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Assessor	175.00
William H. Sherman, Services as Assessor	150.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services as Assessor	125.00

James W. Lennon, Services as Auditor	125.00
Maynard Coal Co., 23,825 lbs. Egg Coal @ \$13.75	163.80
Maynard Coal Co., 10,150 lbs. Stove Coal @ \$14.25	72.32
Maynard Coal Co., 10,850 lbs. Bit. Coal @ \$8.50	46.11
Doherty Garage, Automobile Expenses	3.00
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service of Light—Hall	111.64
Irving Hill, Insurance on Bonds	135.00
Irving Hill, Insurance on Public Buildings	10.98
Town of Concord, Labor on Town Boundary	28.26
Elm Street Repair Shop, Labor on Automobile	12.00
Dept. of Corporation & Taxation, Certification of Notes	8.00
Thomas L. Giles, Balance of Uncollected Taxes, 1927	799.40
Edmund Giles, Labor a/c Automobile Traffic	5.00
Waldo Langille, Labor a/c Automobile Traffic	2.00
John F. Farrar, Inspecting Cattle, 1927	75.00
Joseph F. McCarty, Ambulance Services	10.00
Mrs. L. M. Applin, Legal Services	1.00
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registration	3.00
Charles Woodhull, Care of Pianos	35.50
Doherty Garage, Supplies	180.91
H. S. Macomber Co., Supplies	46.55
Dover Stamping Mfg. Co., Supplies	41.25
Rice's Garage, Supplies	25.35
Allen Brothers, Supplies	20.00
Thomas Groom & Co., Supplies	15.30
W. & L. E. Gurley, Supplies	11.24
Thomas L. Giles, Supplies	6.77
Assessors Auto Taxi Service, Supplies	5.00
The Carter Ink Co., Supplies	2.50
Rollin Bros., Supplies	2.20
Total	<hr/> \$8,871.08

WATER

 PAYMENTS

John J. Kelliher, Services as Supt.	\$475.00
Sumner Smith, Water Commr.	75.00
Robert B. Hunter, Water Commr.	75.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	271.40
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Water Rates	206.48
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Power and Light	1,336.18
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services	30.27
American Express Co., Express	2.99
Lafflin-Bedford Express, Express	.35
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	34.88
Doherty Garage, Trucking	3.50
Joseph Gilbert, Labor	426.00
Fred Tyler, Labor	308.00
Walter Hallett, Labor	116.00
Michael Diamond, Labor	94.00
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	60.00
Sam Demas, Labor	56.00
Angelo Catonia, Labor	16.00
Lewis Florio, Labor	20.00
Burton Banton, Labor	10.25
John Burgess, Labor	2.50
Charles Roper, Labor	2.00
Manning Mac Rae, Labor and Supplies	121.01
I. N. Mac Rae Co., Labor and Supplies	66.24
Walworth Company, Supplies	63.58
Red Hed Mfg. Co., Supplies	61.36
National Meter Co., Supplies	120.67
Fred A. Houdlette & Sons, Supplies	1,192.83
Chadwick Lead Co., Supplies	48.60

Sumner & Dunbar, Supplies	48.11
M. W. Leahy Co., Supplies	45.00
Thomas L. Giles, Supplies	23.72
Church-Tyler Co., Supplies	23.67
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Supplies	12.00
Builders Iron Foundry, Supplies	4.50
Devol & Raynolds, Supplies	4.00
Rollins Bros., Supplies	1.10
Minute-Man Press, Printing	12.75
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd, Int. \$3,000 @ 3½%	52.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd, Int. \$4,000 @ 4%	80.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd, Int. Due June 1	227.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd, Int. \$3,000, due Sept. 1	52.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd, Int. \$4,000, due Sept. 1	80.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd, Int. \$13,000	227.50
Town of Lincoln Sinking Fund, Int. \$9,000	89.25
Sinking & Trust Fund Commrs., Water Works Sinking Fund	525.00
Sinking & Trust Fund Commrs., Int. \$9,000, 6 mos., due Sept. 1	157.50
Sinking & Trust Fund Commrs., Sinking Fund	827.00
First National Bank, Coupons due Mar. 1	485.00
First National Bank, Coupons due June 1	175.00
First National Bank, Coupons due May 1	87.50
First National Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	100.00
First National Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	17.50
First National Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	17.50
Total	<hr/> \$8,672.19

STREET LIGHTS

 PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Dec., 1927	\$196.66
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Jan., 1928	188.16
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Feb.	181.68
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Mar.	174.09
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Apr.	164.81
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for May	163.07
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for June	159.18
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for July	159.73
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Aug.	167.65
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Sept.	171.99
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Oct.	183.44
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Nov.	190.76

Total	\$2,101.22
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CEMETERY

 PAYMENTS

Fritz Cunnert, Labor	\$238.00
H. McPartland, Labor	282.00
Elmer Bean, Labor	99.00
Edward Gudette, Labor	88.00
Michael Diamond, Labor	60.00
J. Marrio, Labor	48.00
Wilson Lumber Co., Supplies	30.00
J. W. Millbury, Sharpening Lawn Mowers	12.95
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Cement	11.45

Total	\$869.40
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BOARD OF HEALTH

 PAYMENTS

Dorothy R. Snelling, Services as Town Nurse	\$1,600.00
Doherty Garage, Storing Nurses Car	35.00
Doherty Garage, Automobile Service	3.00
Doherty Garage, Supplies	97.80
Rice's Garage, Supplies	71.47
Crowley & Gardner, Supplies	11.25
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registration	3.00
Dorothy R. Snelling, Expenses	7.55
George E. Cunningham, Labor	67.11
Total	<hr/> \$1,896.18

FIRE DEPARTMENT

 PAYMENTS

Doherty Garage, Storing Fire Truck	\$300.00
Doherty Garage, Labor at Fires	49.58
Doherty Garage, Driving Fire Truck	102.00
Thomas J. Dee, Storing Fire Truck	108.00
Thomas J. Dee, Fire Engineer	25.00
Thomas J. Dee, Labor at Fires	19.75
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services	11.77
Herbert G. Farrar, Fire Engineer	25.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Labor at Fires	22.00
Henry Barnes Co., Supplies	119.50
American La France Fire Engine Co., Supplies	5.74
Matthew H. Doherty, Fire Engineer	25.00

Harold S. Cousins, Fire Engineer	25.00
Sumner Smith, Fire Engineer	25.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Fire Engineer	25.00
John J. Kelliher, Fire Engineer	25.00
P. J. Lennon, Labor at Fires	3.00
Walter Hallet, Labor at Fires	10.00
Harold S. Cousins, Labor at Fires	34.50
Ralph Butcher, Labor at Fires	4.50
George Hersey, Labor at Fires	1.00
Leo Corrigan, Labor at Fires	1.00
John V. Algeo, Labor at Fires	4.00
Total	<hr/> \$971.34

MOTH DEPARTMENT

PAYMENTS

Fred Tyler, Labor	\$904.00
Joseph Gilbert, Labor	202.00
John Coan, Labor of Man and Horse	140.00
Nitrate Agencies Co., Supplies	216.17
Frost Insecticide Co., Supplies	51.30
Doherty Garage, Supplies	7.90
Total	<hr/> \$1,521.37

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

PAYMENT

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$400.00
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Expenses	\$1,341.58
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 LINCOLN LIBRARY

PAYMENTS

John F. Farrar, Treas., Dog Tax Returned	\$308.55
John F. Farrar, Treas., Appropriation	1,250.00

Total	\$1,558.55
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 INTEREST

PAYMENTS

First National Bank, Discounted Int. on \$25,000	\$542.43
Old Colony Corp., Discounted Int. on \$25,000	491.19
Old Colony Corp., Discounted Int. on \$15,000	350.73

Total	\$1,389.35
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 MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

PAYMENT

Middlesex County Extension Service, Appropriation	\$200.00
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 HYDRANTS AND OTHER WATER SERVICE

PAYMENT

Lincoln Water Commissioners, 132 Hydrants	\$1,980.00
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 PLANNING BOARD

PAYMENT

Spaulding-Moss Co., Supplies	\$5.76
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RECAPITULATION

PAYMENTS

Schools	\$35,934.11
Highway Station Road	14,324.92
Highway State Aid	10,614.09
Highways	8,532.92
Miscellaneous	8,871.08
Water	8,672.19
Street Lights	2,101.22
Hydrants and Other Water Service	1,980.00
Board of Health	1,896.18
Library	1,558.55
Moth	1,521.37
Interest	1,389.35
Department of Public Works	1,341.58
Fire Department	971.34
Cemetery	869.40
Highway Special	751.23
Waltham Hospital	400.00
Middlesex County Extension Service	200.00
Planning Board	5.76
Total	<hr/> \$101,935.29

TREASURER'S REPORT

The receipts and expenditures for the year 1928 have been as follows:

RECEIPTS

Balance, Special Fund from Massachusetts	\$ 628.03
Thomas L. Giles, Collector	60,882.10
Moth Department	510.13
Concord Court	762.20
Board of Health, Nurse, Local	301.00
" " Sudbury	390.00
" " School 1927	400.00
" " Licenses for hauling garbage	400.00
Bank Interest	2.00
Miscellaneous	309.22
Town Hall	92.00
Schools, Grammar School Fund	61.21
Comm. of Mass. Voc. Ed.	363.22
" " Tuition of Children	1,968.78
" " High School Transportation	2,493.98
" " Tuition of Children	378.25
" " City of Boston, Comm. of Mass., State Aid	4,239.35
" " Miscellaneous	4,200.00
Highway Department, Comm. of Mass., State Aid	2,624.00
" " Local	357.00
City of Cambridge, Tax 1928	308.55
Dog Tax	10,000.00
Loan, Old Colony Corporation	25,000.00
" " "	15,000.00
" " First National Bank	25,000.00
" " Town of Lincoln Water Works Sinking Fund	7,000.00
Comm. of Mass., Income Tax 1927	430.00
" " Corp. Tax 1925 (P.S.)	9,344.00
" " " 1926	5.74
" " " 1927	2.22
" " " 1928	2.57
" " " 1928 (Bus.)	457.24
" " " 1928	4.36
" " Trust Co. Tax 1926	69.20
" " " 1928	44.15
" " National Bank Tax 1928	506.83
Gasoline Licenses	1,013.41
School House Sinking Fund	3.00
TOTAL	\$174,902.79

EXPENDITURES

Deficit January 1st, 1928	\$ 873.42
Selectmen's Orders	93,263.10
Loan paid Old Colony Corporation	10,000.00
" " First National Bank	25,000.00
Comm. of Mass., Trust Company Tax 1926	22.89
" " " 1927	11.63
" " National Bank Tax 1923	28.91
" " Balance due January 9, 1928	5.09
" " State Tax	3,655.00
" " Repairs on State Highways	412.00
" " Veterans Exemption	11.74
County of Middlesex, Tax	3,848.56
" " T. B. Tax	266.21
Balance in Bank, December 31st, 1928*	12,504.24

*Attention is directed to the fact that of the money borrowed during 1928 a loan of \$15,000 payable to the Old Colony Corporation is still outstanding.

TOTAL

\$174,902.79

GEORGE G. TARBELL,

Treasurer

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:

Number of residents assessed on property	457
“ non-residents assessed on property	83
“ assessed on polls	495
“ assessed on polls only	187
“ acres of land assessed	8,654½
“ dwelling-houses assessed	349
“ horses assessed	127
“ cows assessed	409
“ neat cattle other than cows assessed	26
“ swine assessed	2,584
“ sheep assessed	10
“ fowl assessed	4,676
Value of land exclusive of buildings	\$ 792,765.00
“ buildings exclusive of land	1,675,735.00
Total value of real estate	<hr/> \$2,468,500.00
Total value of personal estate	424,337.96
Total valuation	<hr/> \$2,892,837.96
State tax	\$3,655.00
State highway tax	412.00
County tax	3,848.56
County tax for care of tuberculosis patients	266.21
Appropriations at Annual Town Meeting	81,076.00
Overlay	2,179.32
Total	<hr/> \$91,437.09

Deductions (Estimated Receipts)

Income tax	\$7,720.60
Money to be taken from Treasury by vote of Town	7,500.00
Corporation tax	500.00
Bank tax	1,500.00
Concord Court returns	500.00
Money from Water Works income by vote of Town	827.00
Unexpended balance of School House Sinking Fund	2,900.00
City of Cambridge	357.08
School Receipts	5,000.00
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Total deductions	\$26,804.68
Net amount to be raised by taxation on polls and property	\$64,632.41
Rate of taxation \$22.00 per \$1,000.00.	

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN

HERBERT G. FARRAR

THOMAS J. DEE

Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Abbott, John A.	200	4.40			4.40
Abbott, Charles C.	200	4.40			4.40
Abbott, Mary O.	600	13.20			13.20
Adams, Elizabeth O.	500	11.00			11.00
Adams, Henry	1,000	22.00			22.00
Adams, John	1,025	22.55			22.55
Adams, Mary O.	3,850	84.70	88,800	1,953.60	2,038.30
A'Hearn, Timothy J.	225	4.95	3,000	66.00	70.95
Allen, Ella F.			750	16.50	16.50
Algeo, John O.	250	5.50			5.50
Anderson, James	200	4.40			4.40
Archibald, Neil	400	8.80			8.80
Arzmarski, Charles	200	4.40			4.40
Baker, Asel	150	3.30	5,000	110.00	113.30
Ballou, Clyde D.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Ballou, Bertha S.	100	2.20			2.20
Bang, Paul	100	2.20			2.20
Bannon, Edward			2,000	44.00	44.00
Banton, Burton L.	300	6.60			6.60
Banton, Edmund F.	250	5.50			5.50
Barnes, Thomas			1,500	33.00	33.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Brown, Valence B.	200	4.40			4.40
Browning, Edgar C., Jr.	325	7.15			7.15
Browning, Edgar C., Est. of.			2,000	44.00	44.00
Browning, George U.	1,200	26.40	6,000	132.00	158.40
Bunker, Abbie E.			4,000	88.00	88.00
Bunker, Louis F.	1,100	24.20			24.20
Burgess, John A.			7,250	159.50	159.50
Burke, Thomas D.	375	8.25	2,500	55.00	63.25
Burns, W. Arnold	250	5.50			5.50
Burns, William C.	100	2.20			2.20
Butcher, Charles R.	1,775	39.05	2,000	44.00	83.05
Butcher, Henry A.	150	3.30	2,000	44.00	47.30
Butcher, Ralph E.	500	11.00	3,500	77.00	88.00
Calkins, James T.	125	2.75	3,000	66.00	68.75
Calkins, T. Alonzo	1,700	37.40	3,000	66.00	103.40
Campbell, Fanny, et al.			9,100	200.20	200.20
Campobasso, Guiseppi	50	1.10			1.10
Carlson, Benjamin E.	3,000	66.00	30,000	660.00	726.00
Carter, Amanda M.	200	4.40			4.40
Cass, Howard C.	50	1.10			1.10
Catoia, Angelo			3,000	66.00	66.00
Ceraso, Michael	25	.55			.55
Chapin, Arthur F.	600	13.20			13.20

Chapin, Carrie B.				2,100	46.20	46.20
Chapin, Clara F.				7,000	154.00	154.00
Chapin, Cyrus S.	1,500	33.00			33.00	33.00
Chapin, Elizabeth G., et al, Est. of. .				2,000	44.00	44.00
Chaves, John B.	300	6.60		2,500	55.00	61.60
Christiansen, Peter O.	50	1.10		1,000	22.00	23.10
Christie, George H.	800	17.60				17.60
Clapp, Clarence G., Est. of.	300	6.60		5,500	121.00	127.60
Clark, Fred T.	150	3.30				3.30
Clark, Thomas	100	2.20				2.20
Coan, Bridget	550	12.10		4,000	88.00	100.10
Coan, James T.	200	4.40				4.40
Coan, John H.	2,340	51.48		5,000	110.00	161.48
Coan, John H., Jr.	50	1.10				1.10
Coan, Thomas F.	50	1.10		3,000	66.00	67.10
Coburn, Edward S.	2,175	47.85		5,000	110.00	157.85
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.	3,242.79	71.34				71.34
Codman, Hugh	5,042.79	110.94				110.94
Codman, Thomas N.	2,122.79	46.70				46.70
Codman, Thomas N., Agent for Ogden Codman	1,959.59	43.11				43.11
Codman, Thomas N., et al, Trustees .	140	3.08		75,000	1,650.00	1,653.08
Cole, Charles	250	5.50				5.50
Conant, Lily R.	400	8.80				8.80
Condit, Harry M.	1,400	30.80		10,000	220.00	250.80
Connair, Margaret J.	300	6.60				6.60
Connell, Ellen	150	3.30				3.30
Connors, Michael	150	3.30		1,250	27.50	30.80
Conover, Frank T.	50	1.10		750	16.50	17.60

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Conway, William J.	625	13.75	2,000	44.00	57.75
Cook, George	200	4.40			4.40
Cook, Walter M.	250	5.50			5.50
Copeland, Walter M.	250	5.50			5.50
Corcoran, Francis J.	100	2.20	3,000	66.00	68.20
Corrigan, Mary, Est. of			3,000	66.00	66.00
Corrigan, Patrick F.			2,300	50.60	50.60
Corrigan, John F.	100	2.20			2.20
Costello, William H.	125	2.75			2.75
Cotoni, Nicholas	1,450	31.90	1,000	22.00	53.90
Coughlin, Alfred C.	450	9.90	5,000	110.00	119.90
Cousins, Ashley B.	25	.55			.55
Cousins, Harold S.	850	18.70	9,500	209.00	227.70
Craig, Kempton B.	100	2.20			2.20
Crenner, Georgiana			4,000	88.00	88.00
Crook, Russell G.			3,000	66.00	66.00
Crowley, Timothy J.			2,000	44.00	44.00
Cunnert, Fritz	600	13.20	5,500	121.00	134.20
Cunningham, Francis H.			4,000	88.00	88.00
Cunningham, George E.	325	7.15	5,000	110.00	117.15
Cutter, Charles T.			200	4.40	4.40
Danner, John			1,000	22.00	22.00
David, James V.	500	11.00			11.00

Davis, Alfred G.	800	17.60	5,000	110.00	127.60
Davis, Alfred M.	2,500	55.00	7,000	154.00	209.00
Davis, E. Russell	400	8.80			8.80
Davis, Prescott L.	3,250	71.50	9,000	198.00	269.50
Davison, Ailsa S.	250	5.50			5.50
Davison, Everett H.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Dean, Clarence H.	300	6.60			6.60
Dean, Harold S.	50	1.10	3,000	66.00	67.10
De Cordova, Julian	12,850	282.70	45,000	990.00	1,272.70
Dee, Thomas J.	575	12.65	6,000	132.00	144.65
Delory, Theresa			1,500	33.00	33.00
Delory, William B.	250	5.50	2,500	55.00	60.50
Dempsey, Edward	150	3.30	2,000	44.00	47.30
Denio, F. Winchester	500	11.00	2,500	55.00	66.00
Denio, Lucy E.	500	11.00			11.00
De Normandie, Charles L., Est. of			7,500	165.00	165.00
De Normandie, William J.	1,400	30.80			30.80
De Palma, Nicholas, Est. of			500	11.00	11.00
Diamond, James H.	150	3.30	1,300	28.60	31.90
Diamond, Michael J.	150	3.30			3.30
Dickson, Stuart G.	800	17.60			17.60
Doherty, Anthony J.			16,500	363.00	363.00
Doherty, Josephine C.	600	13.20			13.20
Doherty and Corrigan	6,000	132.00	5,500	121.00	253.00
Doherty, Mary E.			2,000	44.00	44.00
Doherty, Matthew H.			3,500	77.00	77.00
Domenichello, Mattie	100	2.20			2.20
Domenichello, Domenic	100	2.20	3,000	66.00	68.20

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Domings and Linares	3,500	77.00	6,250	137.50	214.50
Donaldson, Charlotte H.	1,000	22.00			22.00
Donaldson, James F.	100	2.20			2.20
Donaldson, Robert D., Jr.			6,500	143.00	143.00
Donaldson, Robert D.	7,400	162.80	51,300	1,128.60	1,291.40
Dougherty, Allen R.	200	4.40			4.40
Dougherty, Andrew J.	1,700	37.40	3,000	66.00	103.40
Dougherty, Andrew J., Jr.	75	1.65			1.65
Dumphrey, Richard	300	6.60			6.60
Eaton, Winslow A., Est. of			3,000	66.00	66.00
Edgerly, Jonathan F.	950	20.90	22,000	484.00	504.90
Ehlert, Caroline E.	100	2.20			2.20
Ehlert, Ellen			3,500	77.00	77.00
Elms, Charles W.	75	1.65	6,000	132.00	132.00
Elms, Marjorie E.	50	1.10			1.65
Emery, George C.					1.10
Emery, Grace M.			5,000	110.00	110.00
Enman, Albert G.	600	13.20			13.20
Faber, Daisy M.	250	5.50			5.50
Farnsworth, Murray P.	300	6.60			6.60
Farquhar, David			6,500	143.00	143.00
Farrar, Edward R.	575	12.65	8,150	179.30	191.95
Farrar, Herbert G.	1,150	25.30	5,000	110.00	135.30

Farrar, John F.	600	13.20	3,500	77.00	77.00
Fennell, Austin D.	400	8.80	4,000	88.00	13.20
Ferdinand, Lorin W., Jr.	100	2.20	3,500	77.00	96.80
First Parish					77.00
Frost, Ernest J.					2.20
Fleming, Mary			1,000	22.00	22.00
Flint, Edward F.	1,900	41.80	16,500	363.00	404.80
Flint, Ephraim B.	2,750	60.50	14,000	308.00	368.50
Florio, Tito	250	5.50			5.50
Flynn, Frank J.	200	4.40	3,000	66.00	70.40
Foreman, Charles F.	25	.55	2,500	55.00	55.55
Frazier, Joseph G.	300	6.60			6.60
Frazier, Margaret	150	3.30			3.30
French, Lindol	150	3.30	4,000	88.00	91.30
Furiga, John	200	4.40			4.40
Garadski, Archy	100	2.20			2.20
Gayer, Clara W.	250	5.50	3,500	77.00	82.50
Gayer, Martin S.	1,000	22.00			22.00
Gilbert, John W.	50	1.10			1.10
Gilbert, Francis	100	2.20			2.20
Giles, Edmund W.	100	2.20			2.20
Giles, Thomas L.	250	5.50	3,350	73.70	79.20
Giles, Thomas T.	250	5.50	1,000	22.00	27.50
Gilmore, Arthur J.			6,000	132.00	132.00
Gilmore, George R.	400	8.80			8.80
Glover, Sarah J.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Graf, Edward	150	3.30	500	11.00	14.30
Graves, Albert S.	1,000	22.00	16,000	352.00	374.00

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Graves, George A.	517	11.37	7,000	154.00	165.37
Gustin, Francis E.	600	13.20			13.20
Gustin, Francis E., Jr.	250	5.50			5.50
Hagerty, Raymond E.	300	6.60			6.60
Hallett, Lawrence P.	100	2.20			2.20
Hamilton, Celeste C.			3,600	79.20	79.20
Hamilton, D. Lincoln	50	1.10			1.10
Hanlon, Albert W.	1,625	35.75	5,500	121.00	156.75
Hansen, Sophus	600	13.20			13.20
Harding, William A.	75	1.65	2,500	55.00	56.65
Harrington, Katherine A.	100	2.20			2.20
Harris, Warwick V.			4,000	88.00	88.00
Harris, George D.	250	5.50			5.50
Hart, Joseph S.			17,000	374.00	374.00
Hartnett, Richard	300	6.60			6.60
Hatheway, Louise A.	20,050	441.10	167,000	3,674.00	4,115.10
Haynes, Georgie L.	250	5.50	3,500	77.00	82.50
Heil, John	300	6.60			6.60
Herman, Edwards W.	5,000	110.00	17,500	385.00	495.00
Hews, Annie M.	100	2.20			2.20
Higginson, A. Henry	9,000	198.00			198.00
Higginson, Mary N.	2,000	44.00			44.00
Higginson, Henry L.	3,350	73.70			73.70

Hill, Dorothy B.			7,000	154.00	154.00
Hill, Irving S.	300	6.60			6.60
Hilliard, Florence M.			21,000	462.00	462.00
Hinds, Horace S.	800	17.60	8,000	176.00	193.60
Hobbs, E. Stanley, Jr.	200	4.40	3,000	66.00	70.40
Hodges, George C., Est. of			9,000	198.00	198.00
Hogan, Elinor	100	2.20			2.20
Hoyt, Edith A.	700	15.40			15.40
Hoyt, Georgina	500	11.00			11.00
Howard, Elizabeth F.				47.30	47.30
Howard, John P.	125	2.75	2,150		2.75
Hunt, Merrill	2,350	51.70	12,250	269.50	321.20
Hunter, Euphemia J.	600	13.20	9,000	198.00	211.20
Hunter, Robert R.	350	7.70	5,500	121.00	128.70
Hutton, James			1,300	28.60	28.60
Iasi, Anthony	800	17.60			17.60
Jensen, Holgar J.	100	2.20			2.20
Jensen, Niels	825	18.15	5,000	110.00	128.15
Jensen, Olin A.	50	1.10			1.10
Jensen, Otto A. B.	200	4.40			4.40
Johnson, Fern A.	400	8.80			8.80
Johansen, Thomas	100	2.20			2.20
Johansen, John			1,500	33.00	33.00
Johnson, John			1,100	24.20	24.20
Johnson, Walter W.	25	.55	5,500	121.00	121.55
Kelliher, John J.			3,600	79.20	79.20
Kennedy, Honor			3,100	68.20	68.20
Kidder Bros.	900	19.80	12,700	279.40	299.20

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Kidder, Arthur W.	100	2.20			2.20
King, Elizabeth L.			2,750	60.50	60.50
Kinney, Robert C.	450	9.90			9.90
Kolyshkin, George	100	2.20	2,500	55.00	57.20
Korford, Harold W.	1,375	30.25	10,000	220.00	250.25
Lahey, James			1,500	33.00	33.00
Lahey, James E.	150	3.30			3.30
Lahnston, Frank C.	400	8.80			8.80
Laird, Mrs. James T.			3,250	71.50	71.50
Laird, Roderick B.	500	11.00			11.00
Langille Bros.	100	2.20			2.20
Langille, Isaac	150	3.30			3.30
Langille, Douglas	125	2.75			2.75
Lawrence, George H.	200	4.40			4.40
Le Moine, Arthur	150	3.30			3.30
Lennon, James W.			3,000	66.00	66.00
Lennon, John B.			3,000	66.00	66.00
Lennon, Patrick J.			2,000	44.00	44.00
Leslie, Irving	100	2.20			2.20
Lincoln Farms Inc.	300	6.60			6.60
Lincoln Stone Quarry Co.			9,000	198.00	198.00
Loring, Robert G.	750	16.50	8,000	176.00	192.50
Lovejoy, Walter E.			5,000	110.00	110.00

Luce, Charles M.	500	11.00			11.00
Lunt, Byron	50	1.10			1.10
Lunt, Charles	40	.88		2,500	55.88
Mac Askill, Daniel				3,200	70.40
MacDonald, Jennie	675	14.85		2,900	78.65
MacDow, Milton	50	1.10			1.10
MacFarland, Ernest H.	200	4.40		6,000	136.40
MacFarland, Samuel K.	150	3.30			3.30
MacHugh, John E.	1,025	22.55		6,000	154.55
MacHugh, Mary F.	300	6.60			6.60
MacKee, James S.	100	2.20			2.20
MacKenzie, Elizabeth G.				15,000	330.00
MacKenzie, Roland C.	1,135	24.97			24.97
MacKinnon, John A.	50	1.10			1.10
MacLean, Hector J.				3,000	66.00
MacLean, J. Harold	250	5.50			5.50
MacLeod, Edward	250	5.50			5.50
MacNeil, Duncan	100	2.20			2.20
MacNeish, John V.	100	2.20			2.20
Macomber, Donald	2,650	58.30		32,000	762.30
Macomber, Walter P.	100	2.20			2.20
Mac Rae, Isaac N., Est. of				4,000	88.00
Mac Rae, Manning W.	200	4.40		5,000	114.40
Mac Rae, Sydney G.	150	3.30			3.30
Mandigo, John	40	.88			.88
Mann, David W.	300	6.60		4,000	94.60
Mannarino, Joseph				5,000	110.00
Marcy, Florence E. G.	600	13.20		16,000	352.00

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Martin, Alexander	125	2.75			2.75
Martin, Angus W.	125	2.75			2.75
Martin, Ellen			3,000	66.00	66.00
Montgomery, Hastwell T.	300	6.60			6.60
Morrissey, Annie	300	6.60	4,500	99.00	105.60
Moynihan, Timothy, Est. of			3,500	77.00	77.00
Murphy, George	150	3.30			3.30
Nelson Bros.	1,760	38.72	9,000	198.00	236.72
Nelson, Charles M.	100	2.20			2.20
Neville Bros.	1,015	22.33	4,500	99.00	121.33
Neville, Henry P.	175	3.85			3.85
Nielsen, Peter	350	7.70			7.70
Norton, Bridget M. and John H.			6,500	143.00	143.00
Norton, Paul L.	200	4.40			4.40
O'Brien, James	500	11.00	1,000	22.00	33.00
O'Leary, Delia			6,000	132.00	132.00
Osgood, Emily K.	1,150	25.30	40,000	880.00	905.30
Page, Henry R., et al.	700	15.40	15,000	330.00	345.40
Palmer, Meredith	1,000	22.00			22.00
Pearl, Leland J.	100	2.20			2.20
Pearson, Lester L.	225	4.95	2,600	57.20	62.15
Pearson, Willis	450	9.90			9.90
Peck, Chester G.	3,000	66.00	23,000	506.00	572.00

Peirce, Harriet T.					77.00
Peirce, Isabel T.	200	4.40			26.40
Peirce, Alice and Jennie					88.00
Penketh, John J.	50	1.10			1.10
Penketh, William H.	150	3.30			3.30
Peters, Frances E.	100	2.20			2.20
Peterson, Andrew	50	1.10			25.30
Pierce, George A.	1,100	24.20			24.20
Pierce, Lucy B.					396.00
Pierce, John, Est. by Robert Pierce					561.00
Pike, Richard					132.00
Poland, Verne L.	300	6.60			6.60
Pollard, Anne D.	8,943	196.74			966.74
Poor, Jane and Marion Fitch	900	19.80			74.80
Porter, Walter J.	1,200	26.40			259.60
Powers, James F.	300	6.60			6.60
Preble, Charles O.	500	11.00			11.00
Presby, Esther L.	1,000	22.00			176.00
Priest, Thomas	200	4.40			4.40
Primak, John	675	14.85			168.85
Quinby, Sarah P.					77.00
Rasmussen, Robert F.	50	1.10			56.10
Rice, Edwin B.	100	2.20			79.20
Rice, Ruth					60.50
Rice, Warren A.	300	6.60			56.10
Richardson, Sumner A.	150	3.30			3.30
Riley, Ellen, Est. of					132.00
Roberts, John F.	50	1.10			1.10

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Roberts, William G.	100	2.20			2.20
Robinson, Charles M.	100	2.20			2.20
Robus, Tamzin K.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Robus, William A.	150	3.30			3.30
Robus, William C.	100	2.20			2.20
Roche, Bridget			6,000	132.00	132.00
Roche, Edward C.	200	4.40			4.40
Rogers, John H.	1,100	24.20	6,500	143.00	167.20
Rollins, Mrs. Charles L.			800	17.60	17.60
Rollins, Elmer A.	1,050	23.10			23.10
Rollins, Grace D.	150	3.30			3.30
Roper, Charles H.	150	3.30			3.30
Rooney, George M.	50	1.10			1.10
Rooney, John W.			2,000	44.00	44.00
Russ, Bertha G.	600	13.20	500	11.00	24.20
Russell, Walter H.	75	1.65			1.65
Ryan, Daniel J.	100	2.20			2.20
Ryan, James T.	200	4.40			4.40
Ryan, Mary			2,500	55.00	55.00
Ryan, Mary A.	400	8.80			8.80
Ryan, Mary J.			2,500	55.00	55.00
Ryan, Statia			2,500	55.00	55.00
Sargent, Charles O.	325	7.15	5,250	115.50	122.65

Scripture, Bertha	100	2.20				2.20
Scripture, Mary J.	100	2.20				2.20
Seeckts, Marion E.	75	1.65				1.65
Seegar, Frederick M.	150	3.30				3.30
Shaw, Juliette S.	200	4.40				4.40
Shaw, Jeremiah A.			8,000	176.00		176.00
Shea, Cornelius T.	9,500	209.00	7,000	154.00		363.00
Shepard, Richard A.			3,500	77.00		77.00
Sherman, Carrie A.				50.60		50.60
Sherman, Daniel E.	3,100	68.20	15,750	346.50		414.70
Sherman, James E.	200	4.40				4.40
Sherman, Mildred	250	5.50				5.50
Sherman, Roger	600	13.20				
Sherman, Susan R.			5,500	121.00		134.20
Sherman, Warren A.	200	4.40	4,100	90.20		90.20
Sherman, William H.	300	6.60	2,000	44.00		48.40
Sherman, Winnie R.	350	7.70	5,000	110.00		116.60
Silva, Manuel	17,800	391.60				7.70
Sims, Mildred A., Admx.			9,500	209.00		600.60
Sims, Royal	150	3.30	1,600	35.20		35.20
Skilton, Natalie	400	8.80				3.30
Simpson, Carl M.	75	1.65				8.80
Smith, Charles S., Est. of	3,025	66.55				1.65
Smith, Stephen	50	1.10	63,600	1,399.20		1,465.75
Smith, Sumner	1,600	35.20				1.10
Smith, William H.	40	.88	4,000	88.00		123.20
Snelling, Caroline			4,500	99.00		.88
Snelling, Marion L.	300	6.60	500	11.00		105.60
						11.00

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Souly, Philip G.	100	2.20			2.20
Sousa, Joseph M.	1,075	23.65	3,000	66.00	89.65
Spargo, Guy C.	200	4.40			4.40
Spencer, Annette I.	500	11.00			11.00
Spencer, Arthur H.	1,525	33.55	19,000	418.00	451.55
Stone, Edward M.	250	5.50			5.50
Stone, Edith C.			300	6.60	6.60
Storey, Moorfield	5,450	119.90	27,500	605.00	724.90
Sturtevant, Seward	300	6.60			6.60
Swinconeck, John	500	11.00			11.00
Tarbell, George G.	1,630	35.86	300	6.60	42.46
Tarbell, George G., Trustee (Ann Weston Estate)			3,800	83.60	83.60
Tarbell, George G., Trustee			22,000	484.00	484.00
Tasker, Jennie K.			4,000	88.00	88.00
Tighe, Daisy A.	700	15.40			15.40
Tillotson, John W.	75	1.65			1.65
Todd, C. Lee	3,300	72.60	25,000	550.00	622.60
Tyler, Fred	600	13.20	2,700	59.40	72.60
Tyler, Fred and James Adm'r's Watson Tyler Estate			2,700	59.40	59.40
Wadleigh, Evelyn A.	150	3.30			3.30
Wallace, Frances	600	13.20			13.20

Warner, Henrietta	512	11.26			11.26
Warner, Henry E.	2,800	61.60		308.00	369.60
Washburn, Mary J.				59.40	59.40
Watson, Samuel J.				33.00	33.00
Watson, William E.				66.00	66.00
Welch, Martin M., Est. of				55.00	55.00
Welch, Helen F., Est. of				22.00	22.00
Westman, Charles L.	400	8.80		154.00	162.80
Weston, Georgiana H.				110.00	110.00
Wheeler, Andrew J.	300	6.60			6.60
Wheeler, Earl R.	150	3.30		77.00	80.30
Wheeler, Charlotte	1,500	33.00			33.00
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.				154.00	154.00
Wheeler, Charles S., Est. of				286.00	286.00
Wheeler, C. Edgar	450	9.90		77.00	86.90
Wheeler, George R.	200	4.40		125.40	129.80
Wheeler, Mabel H. and George W.	600	13.20		88.00	101.20
Wheeler, Hermon T.	200	4.40		110.00	114.40
Whitcomb, Clifford G.	600	13.20			13.20
White, Frank E.	350	7.70			7.70
White, Jennie S.				132.00	132.00
Whitney, Harold P.	50	1.10			1.10
Wilkins, John H.				154.00	154.00
Wilson, John	1,600	35.20		88.00	123.20
Winchell, Gilbert	1,500	33.00		660.00	693.00
Woodward, Arthur	800	17.60		66.00	83.60
Woodworth, Lewis W.	300	6.60		77.00	83.60
Woodhull, Charles E.	1,100	24.20		154.00	178.20
Yeomans, Isabella	400	8.80			8.80

NON-RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Non-Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Ames, Mrs. J. B., Cambridge.....			750	16.50	16.50
Albano Bros., Concord			250	5.50	5.50
Anderson, Esther A., Concord			4,000	88.00	88.00
Baker, Walter F., Weston			200	4.40	4.40
Bills, Sarah, Sudbury			1,750	38.50	38.50
Blodgett, Edwin S., Miami, Fla.....			3,000	66.00	66.00
Brooks, Mary A., Concord			1,000	22.00	22.00
Broughall, Margaret, Lexington			50	1.10	1.10
Brown, Harry A., Wayland			100	2.20	2.20
Brown, Arthur L., Winchendon			3,000	66.00	66.00
Bunzel, Edward, Lexington		3.30			3.30
Buttrick, Mary B., Concord			2,000	44.00	44.00
Cadario, John A., Boston			3,000	66.00	66.00
Carroll, Henrietta S.			100	2.20	2.20
Cheney, George, Weston			200	4.40	4.40
Connors, John N., Lexington			3,500	77.00	246.40
Cordingly & Co., Boston	7,700	169.40			
Coppinger, Rev. Joseph, Boston	800	17.60			17.60
Clark, George A., Waltham			11,000	242.00	242.00
Cousins, Fred E., Littleton			1,000	22.00	22.00
Curley, Annie, Boston			6,100	134.20	134.20
			500	11.00	11.00

Dean, Louis W., Waltham.....	7,000	154.00	7,600	167.20	321.20
DeNormandie, Alice W., Boston.....	500	11.00	20,000	440.00	451.00
DeNormandie, James W., Est. of, Boston			8,000	176.00	176.00
Dizer, Samuel K., Waltham.....			150	3.30	3.30
Doane, Clarence S., Malden			2,000	44.00	44.00
Doyle, Daniel, Weston			1,000	22.00	22.00
Dunbar, William H. and Hoar, D. Blakelee, Boston.....			500	11.00	11.00
Eaton, Frederick W., Concord.....			600	13.20	13.20
Edison El. Ill. Co., Boston.....	40,000	880.00			880.00
Fernald, Alvin E.	250	5.50	3,000	66.00	71.50
Fitchburg R. R. Co.....			900	19.80	19.80
Gately, Annie E., Boston.....	150	3.30	20,000	440.00	443.30
Green, Grace, Wakefield, Kansas.....			200	4.40	4.40
Griffin, R. H., Lexington.....			300	6.60	6.60
Grimwood, Henry A., Weston.....	7,250	159.50	12,500	275.00	434.50
Harrington, T. Frank, Trustee, Waltham			4,100	90.20	90.20
Harrington, T. Frank, Waltham.....			2,300	50.60	50.60
Hay, Robert T., Melrose.....			5,500	121.00	121.00
Hayden, Nellie B., Lexington.....			300	6.60	6.60
Higginson, Henry L., Est., Boston, Frederick P. Cabot, Trustee.....			81,000	1,782.00	1,782.00
Holmes, Sarah E., Arlington.....			600	13.20	13.20
Holman, Amos, Lexington.....			4,000	88.00	88.00
Hunt, Lewis E., Somerville.....	600		2,500	55.00	55.00
Kaizer, Horace, Concord					

Name of Non-Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Lima, Anthony J., Lexington.....			500	11.00	11.00
Locke, Heirs of Isaac.....			250	5.50	5.50
Lovett, Robert W., Est. of.....	1,000	22.00	7,500	165.00	187.00
Malloy, Mrs. John, Waltham.....			1,000	22.00	22.00
Marr, John W., Waltham.....			6,500	143.00	143.00
MacHugh, Katherine, Belmont.....			500	11.00	11.00
Murphy, Jeremiah, Arlington.....			5,000	110.00	110.00
Metropolitan Ice Co., Cambridge.....			5,000	110.00	110.00
Nelson, Allen M., Lowell.....	200	4.40			4.40
Neville, Henry P., Bedford.....			1,000	22.00	22.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	13,137	289.01	4,000	88.00	377.01
O'Brien, Marjorie C., Boston.....			1,000	22.00	22.00
Paine, Horace G., Concord.....			200	4.40	4.40
Parry, Charlotte E., Waltham.....			4,000	88.00	88.00
Pope, Ameila V., Joplin, Mo.....			11,000	242.00	242.00
Pollard, Frederick H., Florida.....			7,000	154.00	154.00
Quigley, William, Dorchester.....			300	6.60	6.60
Reynolds, Frank, Lexington.....			50	1.10	1.10
Richardson, Howard C., Weston.....			200	4.40	4.40
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge.....			16,000	352.00	396.00
Root, Frank K., Chicago.....	2,000	44.00	600	13.20	13.20
Ryder's Stock Farm Inc., Lexington...			1,000	22.00	22.00
Seeckts, Albert, Charlestown.....			2,500	55.00	55.00

Shaw, Nellie K., Woburn.....	150	3.30	3.30
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston.....	150	3.30	3.30
Sherwin, Edward V., Concord.....	1,500	33.00	33.00
Smith, Howard R., Portsmouth, N. H.	200	4.40	4.40
Sorensen, Hans, Lexington.....	2,250	49.50	49.50
Stewart, Frank, Waltham.....	150	3.30	3.30
Storror, Helen O., Boston.....	151,500	3,333.00	4,284.50
Thorndike, Sturgis H., Est. of, Weston	2,000	44.00	44.00
Vantwyver, Nicholas F., and Mary, Concord.....	5,000	110.00	110.00
Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee.....	250	5.50	5.50
Western Union Tel. Co.....	64.48		64.48
Wilkshire, Alice E., Cambridge.....	100	2.20	2.20
Wilson, William, et al, Weston.....	2,000	44.00	44.00
Williams, Hubert J., Boston.....	10,000	220.00	226.60
Worcester, Alice, Waltham.....	2,000	44.00	44.00
	43,250	951.50	
	2,931	64.48	
	300	6.60	

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

For the year 1928 the Commissioners were given the usual appropriation of \$500.00 for general care of the cemeteries and a further appropriation of \$500.00 for special purposes. Accordingly, in addition to the customary general care, it has been possible to have nearly 300 head stones and foot stones which were leaning badly and out of line reset in cement with rock foundations. Of these stones, over 200 were in the cemetery near the Town Hall and 70 or more in the New Cemetery. Furthermore, about 350 ft. of stone wall on the westerly side of the New Cemetery has been moved and reset on the southerly side of the new two-acre section bought in February, 1927, from the heirs of the late Charles Wheeler, leaving approximately 225 ft. of wall still to be built.

The Commissioners feel that this new part of the cemetery which is to be developed and beautified should be laid out in much the same manner as the older part, with curving roads which take advantage of the land contours, and with plenty of trees and shrubs, and they recommend that during the coming year a road be laid out and built and the lot lines plotted so that a start can be made on tree planting the following spring.

For one of the tombs in the cemetery near the Town Hall which is now in a dilapidated condition, new stone doors have been ordered and the stone facing is to be reset and properly anchored. This work should be completed within a few weeks. Ivy will be planted along the front

wall of the row of tombs in this cemetery to soften the cold, gray effect now so noticeable from the street.

The Commissioners further recommend that the inconveniently located standpipe with the rotting half-keg for catching water which now constitutes an eye-sore at the front of the New Cemetery be done away with and that the pipe line be extended 200 ft. or more over the knoll to a point near the William Sherman lot. This would make it possible to use water on several of the lots which receive perpetual care and would much better meet the needs of those who take care of the upkeep of this cemetery.

For these purposes the Commissioners recommend an appropriation of \$500.00 in addition to the usual appropriation of \$500.00 which comes from the Cemetery Fund.

EDWARD F. FLINT,
FRITZ CUNNERT,
H. P. WHITNEY,
Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER

In Account With

THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1928

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance on Hand	\$418.70
	Dividends, American Sugar pfd.	28.00
	Dividends, Union Pacific pfd.	12.00
	Interest on Balance	13.47
	Dividends, Boston & Maine, "A"	10.00
	Lot 107	25.00
	" 461	25.00
	" 465	25.00
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		\$557.17
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Dec. 31	Balance	\$557.17
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		\$557.17
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The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer:

Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.
 Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.
 Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund, \$241.26.

Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$31.99.
 Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$31.99.
 Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$31.99.
 John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$53.40.
 Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$53.40.

George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$10.57.

Francis Flint Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$29.26.

William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$55.95.

Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$35.68.

Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$15.37.

E. H. Rogers Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$29.71.

Ellen T. Trask Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$23.73.

Thomas Huddleston Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$23.68.

Joa Pacewicz Fund, \$400 plus accumulated interest of \$42.68.

Mary S. Rice Fund, \$87.27 plus accumulated interest of \$12.76.

Julia A. Bemis Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$33.37.

Donald Gordon Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$34.89.

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account With

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$2,572.64
		Dividends, Pennsylvania R. R. Co.	192 50
		Dividends, Boston & Providence R. R. Co.	85.00
		Dividends, Old Colony Railroad Co.	70.00
		Dividends, Boston & Albany R. R. Co.	140.00
		Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	675.00
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 1st pfd.	40.00
		Dividends, Great Northern Ry. Co. pfd.	125.00
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s	50.00
		Coupons, Southern Railway Co. 4s	120.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	50.00
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 4s	80.00
		Interest on Deposit	63.21
		75 Rts., Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	1,057.22
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			\$5,320.57
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Jan.	13	Capt. John B. Noel	\$250.00
Feb.	11	Dr. Charles A. Paine.....	0
		P. A. Carter, Postals, Labor.....	8.20
		C. M. Robinson, Operator	4.00
	17	Count Felix von Luckner	200.00
Mch.	1	Doherty Garage	9.00
Apr.	10	P. A. Carter, Printing	5.00
May	25	Davies Concert Co.	150.00
June	1	Pennsylvania R. R. Co., Subscription 10 shs.	500.00
		Pennsylvania R. R. Co., 30 rights.....	65.25
	7	P. A. Carter, Postals, Printing, Labor, Programs	10.60

July	4	Waltham Watch Co., Bond	241.00
Nov.	1	P. A. Carter, Postals, Labor, Printing	7.00
	9	Robert N. Cram	80.00
	17	P. A. Carter, Postals, Labor, Printing	7.00
	23	William Montgomery McGovern	250.00
Dec.	6	P. A. Carter, Postals, Labor, Printing Programs	13.00
	7	George H. Boynton and Paul Bregor Tris	95.00
	31	Balance	3,425.52
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			\$5,320.57
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The Fund is invested as follows:

60 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
 5 " Boston Elevated Railway Co. first preferred.
 75 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
 20 " New York Railways Corp. Stock Trust preferred.
 \$1,000 New York Railways Co. 6% Income Bond of 1965.
 \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
 \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
 \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.
 \$2,000 American Telephone and Telegraph Co. 4s, 1929.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

1928

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$ 837.79
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1932	105.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1934	175.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1936	560.00
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4¼s due 1928	127.50
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4¼s due 1938	425.00
	Due 3,000 U. S. Liberty 4¼, 1928	3,000.00
	Interest, Water Work \$9,000 note to Sept. 1, 1928	157.50
	Interest on Deposit	95.24
	Interest on Town of Lincoln, Notes	89.25
	Cash, Treasurer of Lincoln	525.00
	Cash, Treasurer of Lincoln a/c Note due Sept. 1, 1928	5,000.00
	Cash, Treasurer of Lincoln a/c Sinking Fund ...	827.00
		<u>\$11,924.28</u>

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	\$7,000 Note, Town of Lincoln, due Oct. 20, 1929	\$7,000.00
Dec. 31	Balance	4,924.28
		<u>\$11,924.28</u>

\$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.

\$3,000 Town of Lincoln $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, due September, 1932.

\$10,000 U. S. Liberty $4\frac{1}{4}$ s of 1938.

\$5,000 Town of Lincoln $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, due November, 1934.

\$7,000 Note, Town of Lincoln, due October 20, 1929.

\$4,000 Note, Town of Lincoln, due September 1, 1929, @ $3\frac{1}{2}$ %.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account With*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY
TO THE LINCOLN LIBRARY

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance principal a/c	\$522.72
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.	3.50
		Dividends, American Tel. & Tel. Co.	36.00
		Dividends, Boston Elev. Ry. Co. 1st pfd.	56.00
		Coupon, West Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	25.00
		Dividends, 8 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.	16.00
		Interest	18.74
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			\$677.96
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Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$155.24
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	522.72
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			\$677.96
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 7 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company first preferred.
- 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
- 4 shares American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- 1/2 share Boston Elevated Railway Co. second preferred.
- \$500 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s of 1932.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account With*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY
TO THE LINCOLN LIBRARY

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$329.07
		Interest	9.74
		Dividend, N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.	4.00
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			\$342.81
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Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$ 13.74
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	329.07
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			\$342.81
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The Fund is invested as follows:

2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.*Commissioners.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account With*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY
TO THE LINCOLN LIBRARY

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$18.33
		Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	50.00
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.	3.50
		Interest91
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			\$72.74
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Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$54.41
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	18.33
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			\$72.74
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The Fund is invested as follows:

½ share Boston Elevated Railway Company 2nd preferred.
\$1,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account With*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND
FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN LIBRARY

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$35.34
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.	7.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Company 5s	50.00
		Interest	1.88
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			\$94.22
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Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$58.88
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	35.34
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			\$94.22
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The Fund is invested as follows:

1 share Boston Elevated Railway Company 2nd preferred.
\$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$29.37
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.	21.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s	100.00
		Interest	7.78
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			\$158.15
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1928

Cr.

Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library	\$128.78
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	29.37
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			\$158.15
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The Fund is invested as follows:

3 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company 2nd preferred.
\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1928

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$1,494.29
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s, due 1947	100.00
	Interest	50.61
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		\$1,644.90
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1928

Cr.

Dec. 31	Paid on Selectmen's orders	\$ 117.88
	Balance on Deposit, Income Account	1,365.86
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account	161.16
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		\$1,644.90
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The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$565.29
		Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.	52.52
		Interest	19.45
		Rights, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.	31.11
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			\$668.37
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1928

Cr.

Dec.	31	Balance on Deposit	\$668.37
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The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$ 101.03
		Interest	38.84
		Coupon, American Tel. & Tel. 4s	120.00
		Coupon, Shawsheen Mills 7s	70.00
		2,000 Shawsheen Mills 7s	1,996.00
		Interest, Shawsheen Mills, 7s	24.89
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			\$2,350.76
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1928

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Dec.	3	Balance principal a/c	\$2,004.75
		Balance income a/c	98.73
July	4	Fireworks	247.28
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			\$2,350.76
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The Fund is invested as follows:

\$3,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4s of 1929.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

FUND FOR PURCHASE OF SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$4,770.66
		Interest	122.45
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			\$4,893.11
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1928

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Jan.	1	Due \$2,000 Schoolhouse Bond	\$2,000.00
		Coupons, Schoolhouse Bonds, January 1st	40.00
Sept.	25	Treasurer, Town of Lincoln	2,853.11
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			\$4,893.11
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE TOWN

1928

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance on hand	\$2,088.48
	23	Trustees of John H. Pierce	750.00
Apr.	24	Trustees of John H. Pierce	750.00
July	24	Trustees of John H. Pierce	750.00
Oct.	29	Trustees of John H. Pierce	750.00
		Bank interest	50.06
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			\$5,138.54
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1928

Cr.

Dec.	31	Balance on hand	\$5,138.54
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Board of Selectmen:

The annual inspection of animals in Lincoln was made during the early part of the year as required by State law. The number of animals enumerated was: 13 sheep, 563 cows, and 4,982 swine.

I have noticed this year a marked improvement in the quality of cows and in the condition of barns. There seems to be a real effort on the part of milk producers to better the grade of their stock and to take good care of the same. Approximately 50 cows reacted to the tuberculin test and were destroyed. The premises were disinfected by the owners, as required by the Division of Animal Industry.

Owing to a decrease in the prevalence of glanders in the adjoining states the restrictions on shipping horses into Massachusetts were removed. A notice to this effect was filed with the Town Clerk and a copy was posted in the Town Hall, as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. FARRAR,
Inspector.

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

I herewith submit a brief report on the work done on the trees and against the Gypsy and Browntail Moths for the year ending December 31, 1928.

The methods used in handling the Gypsy Moth problem this year have been practically the same as in past years—namely, creosoting nests on trees along the highways, followed by spraying where we find it is necessary. We find this is the cheapest and most efficient way of carrying on the work.

The Gypsy Moth situation, while not alarming, has shown a marked increase of egg clusters this year in places where there were scarcely any last year; but if these places are carefully treated and followed up with spraying no immediate danger from this insect needs be anticipated.

There has not been much change in the Brown Tail Moth conditions from that of last year.

The work of cutting brush and cleaning our roadside trees was continued this year.

For the past twelve years we had a small sprayer for doing orchard work. Last year it broke down and could not be repaired. I expect to be able to make arrangements with a resident of the town who has a sprayer to take over the work that we always have done.

The total expenditure of this Department is \$1,521.37, of which there has been charged to property owners \$322.29 on account of private work, leaving a net cost to the Town of \$1,199.08.

I recommend that \$500 be appropriated for moth and \$800 and receipts for tree work.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER,

Report of Treasurer of Lincoln Library for Year Ending December 31, 1928

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance on hand, January 1, 1928.....	\$215.53	Water	\$10.00
Cash received from fines	42.12	Light	57.99
Income from Liberty Bonds	8.50	Telephone	32.04
Income from Codman Fund	43.75	Repairs	17.62
Income from Trust Funds	411.05	Clerical Work	10.00
George Russell Legacy.....	\$ 13.74	Supplies	13.81
John H. Pierce Legacy.....	54.41	Sundries	13.49
Julia A. Bemis Legacy.....	58.88	Binding Books	4.98
Abbie J. Stearns Legacy.....	128.78	Fuel	221.90
George G. Tarbell Legacy.....	155.24	Magazines	81.26
		Books	295.01
Dog Tax Return	308.55	Salaries	750.00
Town Appropriation	1,250.00	Income of Pierce Fund, paid to Librarian.....	54.41
		Total Expenditures	\$1,562.54
		Balance, January 1, 1929.....	716.96
			<u>\$2,279.50</u>

The Codman Fund is invested in five shares of Boston and Albany stock. The Trustees also hold Liberty 4½'s to the amount of \$200. The securities are in the custody of the Town Treasurer.

JOHN F. FARRAR,

Treasurer.

In Memoriam

MISS LYDIA J. CHAPIN

Assistant Librarian

Librarian

Librarian Emerita

From 1884 to 1929

MISS ELIZABETH G. CHAPIN

Assistant Librarian

Librarian

From 1902 to 1929

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees submit on the following pages the reports of the librarian and treasurer for the year ending December 31st, 1928.

The Trustees ask for an appropriation of five hundred dollars plus the dog tax for the year ensuing.

GEORGE G. TARBELL

JOHN F. FARRAR

C. LEE TODD

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY STATISTICS

Annual Report of the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1928

Library open Wednesday and Saturday from 3 to 9 P. M.
except legal holidays.

Number of volumes at beginning of year	11,758
Number of volumes added by purchase	131
Number of volumes added by gift	7
Number of volumes withdrawn during the year	1
Number of volumes at the end of the year	11,895
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use	2,949
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use	920
Number of volumes of children's books lent for home use	1,126
Number of magazines lent for home use	715
Total number of volumes lent for home use	4,995
Largest number of volumes lent in one day	114
Smallest number of volumes lent in one day	22
Number of days library was open	101

Accessions to the Library for 1928

FICTION

Bromfield, Louis. A good woman.....	771.8
Buchan, John. Witchwood.....	771.12
Bronson, F. W. The old Nick.....	771.16
Byrne, Donn. Crusade.....	941.14
Biggars, Earl Derr. Behind that curtain.....	942.2
Beck, L. Adams. House of fulfilment.....	942.24
Byrne, Donn. Destiny bay.....	941.25
Cather, Willa. Death comes for the Archbishop.....	771.11
Connelly, James B. The book of Gloucester fishermen...	771.25
Comfort, W. L. Samadhi.....	941.5
Cooper, Courtney R. The golden bubble.....	941.15
Cannon, Cornelia J. Red Rust.....	941.22
Curwood, James O. The plains of Abraham.....	942.6
Christie, Agatha. The mystery of the blue train.....	942.18
Dutton, Charles J. The clutching hand.....	941.7
De La Roche, Mazo. Jalna.....	771.1
Deeping, Warwick. Kitty.....	771.23
Deeping, Warwick. Old Pybus.....	942.8
Ertz, Susan. Now east, now west.....	771.14
Farnham, Mateel Howe. Rebellion.....	771.4
Farnol, Jeffrey. Guyford of Weare.....	942.19
Gibbs, Phillip. Out of the ruins.....	771.22
Gentleman with a duster. Julius.....	771.17
Grey, Zane. Forlorn river.....	771.24
Grey, Zane. Nevada.....	941.23
Gielgud, Val. Old Swords.....	941.12
Galsworthy, John. Swan song.....	942.9
Hart, Francis Noyes. The Bellamy trial.....	771.6
Hurst, Fannie. A president is born.....	771.7
Hay, Ian. The poor gentleman.....	771.26
Hill, Grace L. Crimson roses.....	942.5
Kaye-Smith, Sheila. Iron and Smoke.....	941.18
Lehman, Rosamond. Dusty answer.....	771.19
Lock, Wm. J. The kingdom of Theophilus.....	941.10
Larsen, Auker. The philosopher's stone.....	942.14
Lane, Rose Wilder, Cuidy.....	942.15
Morrow, Honore Willsie. With malice toward none.....	942.10

Marsh, George. Under frozen stars.....	942.21
McCutcheon, George B. Blades.....	942.23
Norris, Kathleen. Barberry bush.....	771.5
Nason, Leonard C. Sergeant Eadie.....	941.11
Oppenheim, E. P. The light beyond.....	771.9
Oppenheim, E. P. The fortunate wayfarer.....	942.4
Ostenso, Martha. The mad Carews.....	941.17
Oemler, Marie Conway, Sheaves.....	942.1
Prouty, Olive Higgins. Conflict.....	771.3
Phillpotts, Eden. The Jury.....	941.9
Preedy, George. General Crack.....	942.13
Parrish, Anne. All kneeling.....	942.17
Ruck, Berta. Money for one.....	941.6
Sedgwick, Anne D. A childhood in Brittany	
Rhode, John. The murders on Praed Street.....	941.20
Rosman, Alice Grant. The window.....	942.16
Eight years ago.....	771.10
Suchow, Ruth. The Bonney family.....	942.2
Strachey, Ray. Shaken by the wind.....	941.4
Salten, Felix. Bambi.....	941.12
Tooker, H. V. The 5.35, a novel of suburban life.....	941.1
Turnbull, Margaret. Rognes march.....	942.3
Thompson, Sylvia. The battle of the horizons.....	941.24
Verne, Jules. Michael Strogoff.....	941.13
Woolf, Virginia. To the lighthouse.....	771.2
Wright, Harold B. God and the grocery man.....	771.13
Westcott, Glenway. The grandmothers.....	771.15
Wilder, Thornton. The bridge of San Luis Rey.....	771.20
Williams, Ben Ames. Splendor.....	771.21
Warner, Sylvia Townsend. Lolly Willows.....	941.3
Warner, Sylvia Townsend. Wm. Fortune's Maggot.....	941.21
Wentworth, Patricia. Anne Belinda.....	941.8
Walpole, Hugh. Winters moon.....	941.16
Whiting, John D. Storm fighters.....	941.19
Wren, P. C. Beau Ideal.....	942.7
Wharton, Edith. The children.....	942.11
Wister, Owen. When west was west.....	942.20

JUVENILE BOOKS

Adams, Katharine. Midwinter.....	833.31
Adams, Peter. Cork ships.....	848.16
Crump, Irving. Boys' book of airmen.....	848.10
Driggs, L. La T. Adventures of Arnold Adair.....	848.11
Emerson, Caroline D. A Wat-tub tale.....	848.14
Ferris, Helen. Edited by. Girl Scout stories.....	1746.13
Harper, Theo. Acland. Siberian Gold.....	833.28
Lamprey, L. Children of ancient Gaul.....	835.31
Lofting, Hugh. Dr. Dolittle's garden.....	815.38
Lownsbery, Eloise. The boy knight of Rheims.....	833.33
McNeeley, Marion H. Rusty Ruston.....	848.12
Meigs, Cornelia. The trade wind.....	833.27
Merit Badge pamphlets (Boy Scout books).....	1746.14
Miller, Elizabeth C. Children of the mountain eagle.....	833.29
Moon, Grace. Madita.....	833.30
Morley, Christopher. I know a secret.....	833.32
Putnam, David Binney. David goes to Baffinland.....	835.30
Smith, Nora A. A truly little girl.....	C.S. 43
Spyre, Johanna. Castle wonderful.....	848.13
Terhune, Albert Payson. Water.....	835.32
Theiss, Lewis E. Keepers of the sea.....	835.34
Thomas, Lowell. Boys' life of Colonel Lawrence.....	835.33
Upjohn, Anna Milo. Friends in strange garments.....	C.S. 42
Washburn, Bradford. Among the Alps with Bradford....	835.29
West, James. Lone scout of the sky.....	848.15

TRAVEL

Frank, Harry A. The fringe of the Moslem world.....	438.11
Hobart, Alice Tisdale. By the city of the Long Sand....	438.5
Roosevelt, Mrs. Theodore, Sr., and others. Cleared for strange ports	438.9
Seabrook, W. B. Adventures in Arabia.....	438.8
Sharp, Dallas Lore. The better country.....	438.7
Thomas, Lowell. Count Lucknor, The sea devil.....	438.6
Walter, Ellery. The world on one leg.....	438.10

BIOGRAPHY

Durant, Will. Transition.....	637.20
Edib, Halide. The Turkish ordeal.....	647.13
Fuess, Claude M. Rufus Choate.....	637.19

Hapgood, N. and Moskowitz, H. Life of Alfred Smith...	647.12
Hudleston, F. J. Gentlemen Johnny Burgoyne.....	647.8
Irwin, Will. Herbert Hoover.....	647.10
Johnson, Gerald W. Andrew Jackson.....	637.14
Lauder, Sir Harry. Roamin' in the gloamin'.....	647.11
Ludwig, Emil. Genius and character.....	647.6
MacDougall, Alice Foote. Autobiography of a business woman	637.18
Maurois, Andre. Disraeli.....	637.21
Morrow, Honore Willsie. Father of Little Women.....	547.20
Morrow, Honore Willsie. Mary Todd Lincoln.....	647.9
Russell, Phillips. John Paul Jones.....	617.26
Stoddard, H. L. As I knew them.....	647.7
Ticknor, Caroline. Mary Alcott.....	637.15
Vestal, Stanley. Kit Carson.....	637.17
Winston, Robert W. Andrew Johnson.....	637.16

HISTORY

Quinn, Vernon. The exciting adventures of Capt. John Smith.....	365.7
Van Loon, Henrick. America.....	336.15

RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY

Jones, E. Stanley. Christ of the Indian Road.....	1136.23
Keller, Helen. My Religion.....	1136.24
Sheppard, H. R. L. The impatience of a parson.....	1136.25

ARTS AND SCIENCE

Bailey, L. H. Standard cyclopedia of horticulture.....	Ref. R.R.
Book of the dead. Murals from Egyptian tombs.....	138.6
Forbush, Edward Howe. Birds of Massachusetts and other States.....	121.14
Masefield, John. Poems.....	1427.14

MISCELLANEOUS

Beck, L. Adams. The way of power.....	1318.9
Brownell, Baker. The new universe.....	1318.8
Bruce, W. Addington. Your growing child.....	1318.7
Erskine, John. The delight of great books.....	1318.10
Slaterry, Margaret. Two words.....	1327.30

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1928



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, <i>Chairman</i> ,	Term expires 1931
EDITH B. FARRAR (MRS.), <i>Secretary</i> ,	Term expires 1930
GEORGE G. TARBELL,	Term expires 1929

Superintendent of Schools

CHARLES M. ROBINSON
HAROLD R. FRENCH (after Jan. 14, 1929)

Teachers

Junior High School—Grades VII—VIII—IX

MARION D. PARKER
HELEN M. SMILEY
MURIEL E. SWASEY

Grade VI.

MYRTLE C. ALLEN (MRS.)

Grade V.

MARY P. LENNON

Grade IV.

THELMA E. GODDARD

Grade III.

FLORENCE JACKSON

Grade II.

THELMA SANDERSON

Grade I.

JOSEPHINE C. DOHERTY (MRS.)

Manual Training
E. W. BURCKES

Typewriting
RUTH M. ROBINSON (MRS.)

School Physician
DR. HENRY A. WOOD

School Nurse
DOROTHY C. SNELLING (MRS.)

Attendance Officer
JOHN J. KELLIHER

Janitor
EDWARD GRAF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Mid-Winter Term, begins Tuesday, January 2, 1929, ends Friday, February 15, 1929; seven weeks.

Winter Term, begins Monday, February 25, 1929, ends Friday, April 12, 1929; seven weeks.

Spring Term, begins Monday, April 22, 1929, ends Friday, June 14, 1929; eight weeks.

Fall Term, begins Wednesday, September 4, 1929, ends Friday, December 20, 1929; sixteen weeks.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Again, the committee regrets to have to report a number of resignations in the teaching force in the past year. It became necessary to engage new teachers for the second, third and fifth grades as also two teachers for the Junior High School. These resignations being due, however, to changes of occupation and advancement rather than to insufficient salaries paid by Lincoln.

Also another important announcement is the resignation of Mr. Robinson, as Superintendent, to take effect on January 12, 1929.

Mr. Robinson has been connected with our schools for a period of about six years as Principal and Superintendent devoting his best time and energies to this work, introducing such practical methods as were found necessary and applicable to our school system and its problems. While we regret the going of Mr. Robinson, at this time, yet, such a move was one to be expected as the position of Superintendent of schools of a small town like Lincoln is considered at best as a stepping stone only to a more advanced position including quite naturally a much larger salary.

Mr. Robinson takes with him the best wishes of the Committee and we feel also of the people of the Town as a whole for his complete success in his new position.

To fill the vacancy for the balance of the year caused by Mr. Robinson's resignation, the Committee was able to secure the services of Mr. Harold R. French who has had a long experience in teaching and in the position of Principal of other schools and is at present, the Principal of a

large school in Bristol, Conn., being on leave of absence for a year to permit him to take special work at Boston University. The Committee feels that it was quite fortunate in being able to secure the services of Mr. French at this time, as they will now have an opportunity to interview candidates and select a permanent man to take up his duties as Superintendent at the beginning of the school term in September.

The past year, application by Petition by a number of the residents of the Town was made to the committee, requesting that the school session in the first and second grades be shortened and these grades dismissed at 12:30 P. M. instead of 1:45 as at present. On this matter, the committee deemed it advisable to give a public hearing in order that the sentiment of those having pupils in these grades might be known. After this hearing and further inquiry of those that would be effected by this change, the committee arrived at the conclusion that there was no general demand for this change at this time, and this outside the fact that such a change would entail an added expense for transportation. In its decision the committee was supported whole-heartedly by the Superintendent.

There have been coming to the Committee each year requests to set aside the rule now in force and applicable for several years to the time and age at which a child may enter school at the beginning of the school year in September. The Committee by way of experiment varied this rule and on a follow up of these cases, the result was anything but satisfactory. Several of these children had to repeat the first year's work, others were withdrawn during the year because of ill effects on their health and only a small minority were able to accomplish the year's work. Finally the committee concluded that the entry age of six years appeared to be the most productive of gain and the most

beneficial to the child. It seems too much to expect a child of immature age or mind to complete satisfactorily the first year's work as now required. Of course, as in all cases, there are exceptions, yet the greater number comes within the average. Following along this line, the committee have voted to set the age at which a child may enter the school at the opening of the school term in September as six years on January 1, of the year following, that is, a child becoming six years of age on January 1, may enter at the opening school session of the previous September. This limitation of age is in line with the average requirement throughout the State.

Transportation

No important changes in the transportation arrangements occurred during the past year, the present arrangements apparently meeting all requirements and working out advantageously.

School Buildings

Other than repairs in connection with the heating of the South School, very little out-lay was necessary the past year. It is proposed, however, to complete arrangements as originally intended for the installation of a toilet and bowl in what is now set apart as the nurses' room in the South School and also to provide for a supply of hot water to this room.

Now that the South School grounds are being used generally by the younger people of the town for games and other recreational purposes, it is proposed to install a drinking bubbler in the rear of this building.

The attention of the committee has been called to the lack of play-ground equipment at both schools and to the not too safe condition of such equipment as is now in use. It is intended to give this matter especial attention this year and if possible provide additional equipment in so far as practicable and in any event to see to it that the equipment now in use is put in the best possible condition. Other than as stated above, both buildings and equipment are in very good condition.

Finances

Of the appropriation for the current year about five hundred and sixty dollars was unexpended. This being occasioned principally by reason of so many changes in the teaching force. The new teachers having been employed at less than the maximum salary and those leaving, if not on maximum salary, if they continued, would be entitled to the annual increase. This is not a saving that the committee enthuses over, in so far as it is applicable to this particular department of the schools, but is none the less a saving.

It will be noted that during the past year, all school expenses and more especially the repairs to buildings were provided for and paid out of the regular school appropriation and not as heretofore by the Selectmen from the miscellaneous fund in their hands. In this way the full cost of the schools to the town is now reported under school expenses. ,

The committee in making its budget for the year 1929 is able to reduce the appropriation required from that of last year and would ask that the sum of \$36,000. be allotted for school expenses for this year.

Herewith annexed is a summary of receipts and expenditures on account of the schools for the year 1928, as also reports of the Superintendent and School Nurse.

Respectfully submitted,

A. J. DOHERTY

EDITH B. FARRAR

GEORGE G. TARBELL

Expenditures on Account of Schools for 1928

Salaries	\$16,925.00	
Expenses of Superintendent.....	168.72	
Books and Supplies.....	1,079.18	
Operating Expenses	574.36	
Fuel	826.40	
Repairs	850.27	
Health	1,016.18	
Local Transportation	5,527.00	
High School Transportation.....	2,259.94	
High School Tuition.....	6,538.21	
New Equipment	168.77	
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		\$35,934.03

Receipts on Account of Schools for 1928

Sale of Supplies	\$ 9.35	
Lincoln Grammar School Fund.....	61.21	
City of Boston—Tuition.....	378.26	
State of Massachusetts:—		
Vocational Education	363.22	
Tuition of State Wards.....	1,968.78	
High School Transportation.....	2,193.08	
Part I, Chap. 90 (Income Tax)...	2,034.00	
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Net cost of Schools to Town.....		\$28,926.13

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Lincoln School Committee:

I hereby submit my sixth annual report as Superintendent of Schools for the year ending December 31, 1928.

Teachers

Many changes occurred in the teaching force during the past year; in fact, five of the nine regular teachers were new to the Lincoln schools in the Fall.

Miss Thelma Sanderson of Wayland is teaching Grade II in place of Miss Dorothy Linfield, who went into the Watertown system. Miss Sanderson is a graduate of Framingham Normal and taught last year in Rehoboth, Mass.

In Grade III, Miss Florence Jackson of Hardwick, Mass., replaces Miss Ruth S. Mills, who married. Miss Jackson, a graduate of North Adams Normal School, has been teaching several years in Ludlow, Mass.

Miss Olive Case of Grade V was replaced by Miss Mary P. Lennon of Lincoln, Mass. Miss Lennon graduated from the Fitchburg Normal School and taught last year in Lynn.

Miss Helen M. Smiley of Baldwinville is teaching English and Latin in the Junior High School in place of Miss Evelyn Wadleigh, who went to a better position in Glens Falls, N. Y. Miss Smiley taught in the Cummington Junior High School last year after graduating from Boston University.

Miss Marjorie Manser of the Junior High School was replaced by Miss Muriel E. Swasey of Exeter, N. H., a graduate of the University of New Hampshire.

Although it is unfortunate to lose so many teachers in one year, the new ones obtained are certainly upholding the high caliber of the Lincoln teaching force.

Attendance

A study of the attendance percentages for the year 1927-28 shows higher averages than the previous year, and this in spite of the fact that there were two epidemics in the Spring.

All previous records for perfect attendance were broken last year. 41 pupils in the schools did not miss a single day during the entire year. This number when compared with 18 the previous year and 12 the year before, is certainly a number to be proud of.

The following pupils were not absent during the year 1927-28. One star denotes perfect attendance during 1926-27; and two stars signifies perfect attendance for 1925-26 and 1926-27:

- I Clarence LaValley
Rita Foreman
- II Wilbur Lavoie
William Macomber
Helen Pedersen
- III Lancelot Dean
James Cunningham
- IV Dora Cook
Olive Foreman
Ada Nelson
**Norma Recchia

V Evelyn Carlson
 Thomas Coan
 William Dean
 Roland Cook

VI *William Clark

VII Anna Buchanan
 Ruby Poland
 Grace Porter
 **Natalie Recchia
 James Boyce
 Thomas Burke
 **Allan Montgomery
 Franklin Recchia

VIII Alena Butcher
 *Irene Christie
 Jean Chapman
 Jeanne Macomber
 Sophie Mutucieski
 George Dean
 William Howard
 *Chester Peck
 Elmo Poland

IX Avis Abbott
 Marion Butcher
 Elizabeth Coburn
 Jean Donaldson
 *Ethel MacLean
 Lillian Whittaker
 James Lennon
 Donald MacAskill

Percentage of Attendance for 1927-28

Grade	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Aver.
IX	94.40	98.15	96.55	*100.00	99.66	*100.00	98.00	*100.00	*97.68	94.22	97.99
VIII	*100.00	*100.00	*99.42	96.19	96.12	97.99	97.14	97.38	96.66	*97.61	97.91
VII	98.68	98.34	98.54	98.75	96.91	97.83	*100.00	96.04	93.96	93.75	97.32
VI	96.69	95.53	95.86	96.03	96.12	95.46	93.96	96.55	93.19	91.46	94.93
V	97.82	96.82	95.38	94.44	95.05	96.86	91.09	93.97	84.39	94.92	93.89
IV	98.61	98.27	98.74	96.96	*100.00	95.65	93.18	96.14	81.78	90.91	95.00
III	98.10	97.65	97.82	94.64	92.53	90.12	90.00	94.61	83.89	86.27	92.56
II	94.87	95.45	98.05	95.77	95.19	97.07	94.36	95.50	71.43	95.07	93.28
I	93.71	91.94	95.92	91.04	89.38	78.02	87.53	89.37	83.84	91.01	89.45
Average	97.10	96.91	97.36	95.98	95.66	94.34	93.92	95.44	87.42	92.80	95.03

*Indicates banner attendance for month.

Merit Prizes

Merit prizes were again awarded in the Junior High School on the basis of these five points:

1—Scholarship; 2—Leadership; 3—Responsibility; 4—Cooperation; 5—Conduct (including attitude).

A first prize of five dollars to a boy and a girl is given by an anonymous donor; and a second prize of two dollars and a half each is given by the American Legion.

The prizes were awarded as follows:

	Girls	Boys
First Prize	Avis Abbott	Albert Enman, Jr.
Second Prize	Jeanne Macomber	Edward Flint
Honorable Mention	Alfreda Craig	John Algeo

Other Awards

At the Commencement Exercises in June, Lillian Whitaker of Grade IX was awarded an Underwood Typewriting Certificate for typing thirty perfect words per minute for fifteen minutes. She had not touched a typewriter before September and was able to successfully pass this examination in April.

Charles Palmer Davis medal was awarded in memory of the founder of the school newspaper entitled, "Current Events", to the pupil receiving the highest mark in a Current Events examination in June, covering all topics discussed between February 1st and June 1st. The medal was awarded to Albert Enman, Jr., who received a mark of 96%. Honorable Mention was made to Elizabeth Farrar with 92%, and Louis Stoffel with 90%.

School Exhibition

On Friday evening, June 8, 1928, the Center School exhibition was held in the various class rooms. Regular class work was carried on for an hour from 6.45 to 7.45 P. M. Pupils were dismissed at noon on that day.

Grades One and Two of the South School had their exhibition and classroom demonstrations the previous afternoon from one to two o'clock.

The graduation exercises of the ninth grade were held at the Town Hall on Thursday evening, June 14, 1928. The program and list of graduates may be found at the end of this report.

School Play

Under the direction of Miss Wadleigh, the school play, "Polly Wants a Cracker," was given on Friday evening, April 13, 1928. The proceeds from this fifth annual play were used to purchase portable seats for the assembly room and for the promotion of visual education in the schools. The cast of characters was as follows:

Jeffrey Wayne, a business man.....	Albert Enman, Jr.
Marie Pratt-Wayne, his wife.....	Avis Abbott
Mary Wayne, his daughter.....	Jean Donaldson
Thomas Livingstone Pratt, a college boy.....	Fred Craig
Inspector Doran, a detective.....	David Todd
Lucerne Neville, an actress.....	Elizabeth Coburn
Nora, the housekeeper.....	Virginia MacFarland

Property Manager	James Lennon
Business Manager	Donald MacAskill

High School

At the present time there are 49 pupils for which the Town is paying tuition in high or vocation schools. These are divided as follows: Concord, 31; Waltham, 14; Weston, 1; Boston Trade, 2; Newton Vocational, 1.

Every one of the 16 members of last year's ninth grade went on to high school. In fact, Lincoln should be proud of the number of pupils not only going on to high school, but also graduating from the same. The following chart shows the number going from Grade IX to high school during the past five years:

Year	In Grade 9	To High or Trade School	At Home or to work	Grad. or are now in High S.
1924	10	9	1	8
1925	19	18	1	14
1926	23	23	0	22
1927	21	19	2	17
1928	16	16	0	16
	—	—	—	—
Total	89	85	4	77

The increase in the high school enrollment in the past few years has been not only from a larger number entering, but also from the fact that more have completed the high school course. This is as it should be. We have tried to impress upon pupils the fact that they should plan to complete the high school course at least, as there is little excuse in these days for a pupil dropping out of school at a very early age.

Health

The schools have been visited by two epidemics during the past year. During February and March, whooping cough was quite prevalent, especially in the first grade. An epidemic of measles occurred during the month of May. The attendance percentages indicate very clearly which grades were visited by these epidemics.

Dr. Edward Frye of Boston again conducted his fourth season of the dental clinic from January 27, 1928 to May 18, 1928. As usual, it proved to be a great success. A detailed account of the clinic is given in the nurse's report.

Cocoa was served in both schools from January 9 to March 23, 1928, at a total expense of \$125.20. The Lincoln Grange contributed \$100 of this amount, the balance coming from parents and pupils.

T. A. T. diphtheria inoculation clinic was held in the South School on November 20, 27 and Dec. 4, 1928. The entire work was done by the school physician, Dr. Wood.

Report Cards

In the Fall, new report cards were printed for the Lincoln schools. A simple card containing only the elementary subjects was devised for the first four grades. An innovation was made on the card for the upper grades. In addition to the complete list of subjects taught in those grades, we find some spaces for school citizenship marks. The latter is grouped under five headings: (1) Health Habits, including particularly posture in school and the daily callisthenics; (2) Cooperation, which together with number 3 determine the conduct in school; (3) Courtesy; (4) Industry, indicating whether or not a pupil is trying to do his school work as well as he can; and (5) Preparation, signifying whether or not a pupil prepares his home

lessons faithfully. These citizenship qualities are marked "S" if satisfactory or "U" if unsatisfactory. A minus sign after an "S" indicates a chance for improvement.

Harvard University Scholarship

After I had been living in Lincoln for a year or so, somebody informed me there was a scholarship in Harvard for boys living in Lincoln. I could find no reference made in the Town records within recent years, nor did the citizens know the exact details pertaining to this scholarship.

For a matter of record, I took the matter up with the Dean of Harvard College. I am informed that the Lincoln Scholarship, established in 1876 by Miss Lavina Hoar, is given by preference to students from Lincoln, but, in default of such, goes to someone else. The present income furnishes an annual scholarship of \$400. Application should be made to the Dean of Harvard College.

With such a scholarship accessible, Lincoln students should take every advantage of securing a college education.

Finances

By turning back approximately \$500 of its annual appropriation, the School Department has again proved to the citizens that it does not expend any more money than is absolutely necessary for the proper maintenance of education.

Although the total is approximately \$2,000 more than last year, the itemized account shows that the Town had to pay \$1,400 more this year for high and vocational school tuition and transportation than it did in 1927. These figures actually prove what we endeavored to show at the annual Town meeting last March.

In previous years, the Selectmen had paid for all major school repairs out of miscellaneous expenses, but this year the school department has paid for all repairs out of its own appropriation. This accounts for the increase of the repair item.

On account of so many changes in the teaching force, the salaries item has been reduced somewhat, instead of increasing. It is because of this fact that we did not have to use the entire amount appropriated.

Recommendations

Many changes have occurred and many improvements have been made during the past five years. There are, however, three major recommendations I wish to make for improving the Lincoln schools.

First: At the bottom of both basement stairways in the Center School there should be iron grating doors separating the basement from the school rooms. These would permit the barge pupils to go into the building before school in the morning without allowing them to run all over the building. Likewise, during the Summer the toilets and basements could be used for baseball games and celebrations without letting everybody throughout the building. I am happy to announce that the School Committee has recently voted the necessary amount to have this improvement made.

Second: More playground equipment is necessary at both schools. That at the South School is very inadequate for the number of pupils attending the school. The wooden swings at the Center School should be replaced by galvanized iron supports as some of the former are showing signs of rotting. The equipment at this school is also inadequate, especially since the giant stride pole rotted off

about a year ago. I would recommend a so-called outdoor gymnasium set, which includes a horizontal bar, a trapeze and other apparatus in addition to the swings.

Third: Definite plans should be made to put electric lights in the Center School in the near future. Many citizens have been greatly surprised to learn that the building has no lights in any of the class rooms, upper corridor or toilets. The Superintendent's office, teachers' room, lower corridor and boiler room are the only parts of the building equipped with electricity.

A school house is a community building and might well be used for small gatherings in the evening, if the building were lighted. It is kept well heated during the week and could be used for small groups instead of attempting to heat the Town Hall.

Conclusion

A I depart from Lincoln at the end of six years as your principal and superintendent, I wish to heartily thank the School Committee, teachers and parents for the cooperation and courtesies extended to me during those years, thereby endeavoring to make my administration a success. We have always had the welfare of the children at heart and have attempted to do the most good for the greatest number. Long after our name may be forgotten by those with whom we have come in contact, we hope that some small seeds planted in the plastic minds of youth may be nurtured into fruition in manhood and womanhood.

In the years to come I shall indeed cherish with fond memories my association and experiences with the many pupils, parents and citizens of Lincoln.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. ROBINSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

LINCOLN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Graduation Exercises

June 14, 1928

Town Hall, Lincoln, Mass.

Class Motto, "*Numquam retrorsum*", (Never turn back)

1. Salutory, ELIZABETH FARRAR
2. Song, "Morning Invitation," JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
3. Essay, "Aviation," AVIS ABBOTT
4. Class History, Part I, ETHEL MACLEAN
Part II, MARION BUTCHER
5. Class Prophecy, Part I, ELIZABETH COBURN
Part II, FRED CRAIG
6. Song, "Faith to Win," JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
7. Presentation of gifts, VIRGINIA MACFARLAND
DAVID TODD
8. Essay, "Education," JEAN DONALDSON
9. Class Will, Part I, ELIZABETH BLODGETT
Part II, JAMES LENNON
Part III, DONALD MACASKILL
10. Valedictory, ALBERT ENMAN, JR.
11. Awarding of prizes, C. M. ROBINSON, *Supt.*
12. Song, "Dream Boat," JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

GRADUATES

AVIS ABBOTT
ELIZABETH BLODGETT
MARION BUTCHER
VESTE CASS
ELIZABETH COBURN
FRED CRAIG
ANNIE DIAMOND
JEAN DONALDSON

ALBERT ENMAN, JR.
ELIZABETH FARRAR
JAMES LENNON
DONALD MACASKILL
VIRGINIA MACFARLAND
ETHEL MACLEAN
DAVID TODD
LILLIAN WHITTAKER

Membership by Age and Grade, October 1, 1928

BOYS

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Total
Grade I.	5	9											14
II.		3	4		2								9
III.			1	7	3								11
IV.				4	4	2	0	1					11
V.					2	4	3	1					10
VI.						6	8	6	3	1			24
VII.							4	7	2	0	1		14
VIII.								4	3	2	4	1	14
IX.									3	7	0	1	11
Total	5	12	5	11	11	12	15	19	11	10	5	2	118

GIRLS

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Total
Grade I.	7	10	2										19
II.		5	10	2									17
III.			4	10	2								16
IV.				2	4	2							8
V.					6	6	1						13
VI.					1	1	4	0	2				8
VII.							1	5	2	1	1		10
VIII.							2	2	3	1	0	1	9
IX.									1	5	0	2	8
Total	7	15	16	14	13	9	8	7	8	7	1	3	108

ANNUAL REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Lincoln School Committee:—

A report of the school nursing for the year ending December 31, 1928, is hereby submitted:

Both schools have been visited daily. 581 office calls of pupils treated or advised. 277 home visits made and 37 trips to Doctors' offices and clinics, etc.

The Lincoln Dental Committee held their usual clinic. Starting January 27, 1928 and ending May 18, 1928; making 15 clinic days. Dr. Frye, who has done the work for the past three years, again conducted the clinic

Total number of pupils treated	100
Total number of cleanings	88
Total number of extractions	64
Total number of fillings	279

Rates were 50c. for cleanings and all other work on the basis of \$2.50 an hour. \$172.85 was collected for work done, which reimbursed the Dental Committee, of which Mrs. Robert Loring is Chairman. The Committee have raised extra funds and have purchased an electric drill, to replace the foot drill, to be used for our 1929 clinic.

During the school years there have been:

- 7 cases of Scarlet Fever (6 pupils, 1 teacher)
- 57 cases of Measles
- 7 cases of Whooping Cough.

In April, Dr. Martin of the State Department of Health, made a follow-up of the Underweight Clinic.

Health Week was observed from April 30 to May 5. "Tags" were given for Weight, Posture and Good Teeth. Dental Certificates were given to pupils in the first five grades who had all necessary dental work done. Results of this 100% Mouth Campaign were: Grade I, 79%; IV, 73% II, 65%; V, 59%; and III, 55%.

All pupils have been weighed and measured three times during the year. Dr. Wood vaccinated five pupils in September, and in October made a physical examination of all pupils, finding:

- 33 cases of Tonsils
- 20 cases of Adenoids
- 24 cases of Cervical Glands
- 3 Cardiac cases under treatment
- 2 cases of Chorea
- 2 cases of poor posture due to Infantile Paralysis
- 45 pupils with Carious Teeth.

Our third Diphtheria Prevention Clinic was held in November. Dr. Wood doing the work. 35 first and second grade pupils were treated, which means that now 70% of Grade I and 80% of Grade II have received Diphtheria Toxin-antitoxin.

39 days were spent in Sudbury.

I wish to thank the school faculty and the parents, for their assistance in this work.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY R. SNELLING, R. N.

Lincoln, Massachusetts,
January, 1929.

NOTICE:

Business Meeting, Monday, March 4 at 7.30 P. M.

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the fourth day of March next at 7.30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, except Article 2, and also to meet in said Town Hall on Saturday, the 9th day of March next at 12.00 o'clock Noon, then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the fourth day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March 9th, will be open at 12.00 o'clock Noon, and may be closed at 6.30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other Officers required by law, to be elected by Australian Ballot, viz.:

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One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

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One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Sinking and Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following question:

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ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 or some other amount and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will adopt the Zoning By-Law prepared by the Zoning Committee, or act in any manner thereon.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 3, Chapter 143 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to erect a memorial to the men who took part in all wars and also to erect a flag pole, or take any other action in the matter.

ART. 13. To see if the Town of Lincoln will provide \$1,000 to acquire sufficient land within the Town to suitably fill in and post a Town property sign thereon, said land to be used as a dump by the inhabitants of the Town.

ART. 14. To see if the Town of Lincoln will provide \$200 to remove the present water fountain near the Town Library; provide a pipe line and suitable shut-off underground and faucet above ground; said faucet to be located off the road but near the to the curb line at some suitable point near the present water fountain.

HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this WARRANT with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1929

Town Clerk.

THOMAS L. GILES

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON	Term expires 1932
C. LEE TODD (Chairman)	" " 1931
HERBERT G. FARRAR	" " 1930

Assessors.

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN (Chairman) .	Term expires 1932
HERBERT G. FARRAR	" " 1930
THOMAS J. DEE	" " 1931

Treasurer.

GEORGE G. TARBELL

Collector of Taxes.

THOMAS L. GILES

Auditor.

JAMES W. LENNON

Constables.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM

School Committee.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY	Term expires 1931
EDITH B. FARRAR	" " 1930
HARRY M. CONDIT, JR.	" " 1932

Water Commissioners.

JOHN J. KELLIHER	Term expires 1931
SUMNER SMITH	" " 1932
ROBERT R. HUNTER	" " 1930

Board of Health.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON	Term expires 1932
DONALD MACOMBER	" " 1930
RICHARD K. CONANT	" " 1931

Tree Warden.

JOHN J. KELLIHER

Commissioners of Trust Funds.

C. LEE TODD	Term expires 1931
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" " 1932
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY	" " 1930

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires 1930
C. LEE TODD	" " 1931
F. WINCHESTER DENIO	" " 1932

Cemetery Commissioners.

EDWARD F. FLINT	Term expires 1931
FRITZ CUNNERT	" " 1932
HAROLD P. WHITNEY	" " 1930

Field Drivers.

JAMES CORRIGAN
ROBERT R. HUNTER

Fence Viewers.

ELMER A. ROLLINS
JAMES CORRIGAN

Surveyor of Lumber.

ELMER A. ROLLINS

Measurer of Wood and Bark.

CHARLES A. WOODHULL ELMER A. ROLLINS

Trustees of Grammar School Fund.

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY F. WINCHESTER DENIO

Trustees of Lincoln Library.

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Chairman* JOHN F. FARRAR
C. LEE TODD

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman School Committee ex-officio*

Registrars.

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY	Term expires 1932
ERNEST H. MacFARLAND	" " 1930
RAYMOND E. HAGERTY*	" " 1931
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*Harry M. Condit resigned.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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ART. 10. To see if the Town will adopt the Zoning By-Law prepared by the Zoning Committee, or act in any manner thereon.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 3, Chapter 143 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to erect a memorial to the men who took part in all wars and also to erect a flag pole, or take any other action in the matter.

ART. 13. To see if the Town of Lincoln will provide \$1,000 to acquire sufficient land within the Town to suitably fill in and post a Town property sign thereon, said land to be used as a dump by the inhabitants of the Town.

ART. 14. To see if the Town of Lincoln will provide \$200 to remove the present water fountain near the Town Library; provide a pipe line and suitable shut-off underground and faucet above ground; said faucet to be located off the road but near the to the curb line at some suitable point near the present water fountain.

HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this WARRANT with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,

Selectmen of Lincoln.

February 21, 1929.

I have served this Warrant by posting an attested copy in each of the Post Offices and one at the Railroad Station seven days before the date of said Meeting.

JOHN J. KELLIHER,

Constable.

In accordance with the provisions of the foregoing Warrant, the Annual Town Meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at the time and place appointed, who read the Warrant and presided at the election of Moderator.

ART. 1. George G. Tarbell was elected Moderator.

ART. 3. The following Town Officers were elected to serve for the current year:

Field Drivers.—

James Corrigan
Robert R. Hunter

Fence Viewers.—

Elmer A. Rollins
James Corrigan

Surveyor of Lumber.—

Elmer A. Rollins

Measurer of Wood and Bark.—

Elmer A. Rollins
Charles E. Woodhull

Trustees Grammar School Fund.—

Conrad P. Hatheway

F. Winchester Denio

ART. 4. All Reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees were accepted as printed in the Town Report of 1928.

At this point in the meeting, George G. Tarbell resigned as Moderator and F. Winchester Denio was elected to fill the vacancy.

ART. 5. The recommendations of the Selectmen as to the appropriations for the current year were accepted, as follows:

For Schools	\$36,000.00
“ Highways and Bridges (and Receipts)	15,000.00
“ Public Welfare	2,200.00
“ Highways on Account of Maintenance of Chapter 90 Roads	1,000.00
“ Station Road Loan	7,000.00
“ Cemeteries	500.00
“ Library (and Dog Tax)	500.00
“ Zoning Committee	1,000.00
“ Board of Health (and Receipts)	2,000.00
“ Tree Warden (and Receipts)	800.00
“ Tree Warden, Moth Work	500.00
“ Miscellaneous and Police Expenses	11,000.00
“ Hydrants and Other Water Service	1,980.00
“ Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400.00
“ Street Lights	2,450.00
“ Fire Department	1,000.00
“ Middlesex Extension Service	200.00
“ Town Note of 1928	15,000.00
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Making a total of	\$98,530.00

Of this amount it was voted the sums of \$15,000.00 for the Town Note of 1928 and \$7,000.00 for the Station Road Loan, making a total of \$22,000.00 to be taken from the Town Treasury.

ART. 6. Voted that the Taxes of 1929 be collected in the manner as in previous years.

ART. 7. Voted that the compensation of the Collector of Taxes be $1\frac{1}{2}$ percent of the amount collected.

ART. 8. Voted that the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1929, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1929.

It was voted that Article 3 be taken up.

ART. 3. Hermon T. Wheeler was elected to act as Director to act in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County aid to Agriculture.

Voted that the Selectmen be appointed a Committee to investigate the advisability of a road roller and also the wages of the Town Employees and to report at a future Town Meeting.

ART. 9. Voted that the sum of \$200.00 be appropriated and to be used in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth.

ART. 10. Voted that the Zoning By-Law, proposed by the Zoning Committee be adopted. This was a rising vote as follows:

Yes	154	No	11
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ART. 11. Voted to accept Section 3 of Chapter 143 of the General Laws of Massachusetts.

ART. 12. Voted that the recommendations of the Committee on the Memorial to the Men of Lincoln, who took part in all wars, be accepted and that they erect the Memorial and that the sum of \$3,000.00 be appropriated for the work and that the sum of \$628.03 be taken from the Treasury, this latter sum is known as "The Massachusetts Special Fund."

ART. 13. Voted to pass over this Article.

At this point of the proceedings, F. Winchester Denio resigned as Moderator and Sumner Smith was elected to fill the vacancy.

The meeting then adjourned.

(Attest) THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

TOWN ELECTION

March 9, 1929

The Town Election was held on the above date under provision of Article 2 of the Warrant.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Sumner Smith.

The Ballot Box was inspected and found to be in working order.

The following were appointed Ballot Clerks and Tellers:

Thomas J. Dee Raymond E. Hagerty Edward M. Stone

The Polls were declared open at 12 o'clock noon and closed at 6.30 o'clock P. M.

The result of the voting was as follows:

Whole number of votes cast	129
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For Town Clerk—1 Year.—

Thomas L. Giles	received	115	votes
Anthony J. Doherty	"	1	"
Harold S. Cousins	"	1	"
Blanks		12	

For Selectman and Overseer of Poor—3 Years.—

Robert D. Donaldson	received	85	votes
John Adams	"	16	"
Sarah Brooks	"	2	"
Sumner Smith	"	4	"
George G. Tarbell	"	1	"
Blanks		21	

For Assessor—3 Years.—

William H. Sherman	received	115	votes
Fritz Cunnert	"	1	"
Charles W. Ellms	"	1	"
Blanks		12	

For Treasurer—1 Year.—

George G. Tarbell	received	116	votes
Donald Macomber	"	1	"
Frank White	"	1	"
Blanks		11	

For Collector of Taxes—1 Year.—

Thomas L. Giles	received	119	votes
Walter Lovejoy	"	1	"
John Adams	"	1	"
Blanks		8	

For Auditor—1 Year.—

James W. Lennon	received	120	votes
Frederick Seegar	"	1	"
Blanks		8	

For Constables—1 Year.—

John J. Kelliher	received	109	votes
George E. Cunningham	"	103	"
Isaac Langille	"	1	"

For School Committee—3 Years.—

Harry M. Condit, Jr.	received	100	votes
George W. Tarbell	"	4	"
Susan Briggs	"	2	"
James Lennon	"	1	"
Roland Mackenzie	"	3	"
Blanks		19	

For Water Commissioner—3 Years.—

Sumner Smith	received	116	votes
Ernest MacFarland	"	1	"
Blanks		12	

For Board of Health—3 Years.—

Robert D. Donaldson	received	87	votes
Roland Mackenzie	"	5	"
Stephen H. Blodgett	"	2	"
William Riley	"	1	"
Blanks		34	

For Tree Warden—1 Year.—

John J. Kelliher	received	115	votes
Charles E. Woodhull	"	1	"
Blanks		13	

For Commissioners of Trust Funds—3 Years.—

F. Winchester Denio	received	112	votes
Percy Russ	"	1	"
Blanks		16	

**For Trustee Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures
—3 Years.—**

F. Winchester Denio	received	109	votes
Conrad P. Hatheway	"	1	"
Harold P. Whitney	"	1	"
Frank Gustin	"	1	"
Blanks		17	

For Cemetery Commissioner—3 Years.—

Fritz Cunnert	received	117	votes
Frank White	"	1	"
James McKee	"	1	"
William Riley	"	1	"
Blanks		9	

Question:—

Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of Non-Intoxicating Beverages in this Town.

Yes	45
No	42
Blanks	42

A true Copy Attest:

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

Vital Statistics

There have been recorded for the year ending December 31, 1929, 9 Marriages, 17 Births and 18 Deaths.

Marriages

Date of Marriage	Names	Residence
Feb. 10, 1929	James M. Corrigan Mary E. Connors	Lincoln Lincoln
June 3, 1929	John Leonord Bishop Dorothy May Landry	Lincoln Somerville
Aug. 24, 1929	William Allen Robus Virginia Swift	Lincoln West Acton
June 17, 1929	William A. Lewis, Jr. Muriel E. Cann	Lancaster, N. H. Malden
Aug. 31, 1929	Richard Delos Studholm Inez Langille	Waltham Lincoln
Aug. 31, 1929	Walter Percy Macomber Irene L. Pratt	Lincoln Taunton
Sept. 18, 1929	Richard Briggs, Jr. Isabel Rose Chisholm	Lincoln Boston
Dec. 15, 1929	Burton L. Banton Catherine N. Garber	Lincoln Waltham
Dec. 20, 1929	Marvin Edgar Wilcox Lois Priscilla Harrington	Waltham Waltham

Births

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
Jan. 25, 1929	Robert Raymond Hunter	Robert R. and Jessie R. Hunter
Feb. 9, 1929	Louise Elizabeth Cole	Charles H. and Elsie M. Cole
March 9, 1929	John Edward McHugh	John E. and Mary M. McHugh
April 3, 1929	Helen Marie Coan	Thomas F. and Anna C. Coan
May 2, 1929	Judith Merrill Emery	George C. and Grace C. Emery
May 6, 1929	Mary Cirasso	Michael and Amelia M. Cirasso
May 9, 1929	Ethel Silva	Manuel and Ethelosinia Silva
May 21, 1929	David Lincoln Johnson	Andrew T. and Madaline C. Johnson
June 6, 1929	Richard Keith Conant	Richard K. and Lily R. Conant
June 22, 1929	Patricia Barbara Corrigan	Richard P. and Delphine J. Corrigan
June 22, 1929	Stephen Hopkins Davis	E. Russell and Susan H. Davis
July 7, 1929	Wilma Louise Huntley	George F. and Lottie D. Huntley
Aug. 6, 1929	Mary Therese Gradeski	Adam and Mary H. Gradeski
Oct. 15, 1929	Marjorie Sorensen	Henry C. and Marion W. Sorensen
Nov. 6, 1929	Susanne Bradford Briggs	Charles V. and Susan L. Briggs
Nov. 26, 1929	Ralph Withington Meriam	Richard S. and Alice O. Meriam
Nov. 27, 1929	Walter Edward Coombs	Eugene P. and Olive A. Coombs

EXTRACT FROM THE REVISED LAWS CHAP. 29 AS AMENDED BY CHAP. 280, ACTS OF 1912

Sect. 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after the birth of a child in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given.

Sect. 8. A parent, keeper, superintendent or other person who is required by Section 6 to give or cause to be given notice of a birth or death, who neglects so to do for ten days after the time limited therefor, shall forfeit not more than five dollars for such offence.

Deaths

Date of Death	Name	Y.	M.	D.
Jan. 6, 1929	Mary F. Ryan	70	1	10
Jan. 13, 1929	Martha Seekins	25		24
Jan. 20, 1929	Caroline Elizabeth Sanborn	81	5	1
Feb. 18, 1929	Mary Jane Knox	92		5
Feb. 17, 1929	Mary Ryan	96		
April 8, 1929	John A. Burgess	71	8	15
April 5, 1929	Hastwell Thornton Montgomery, Jr.		4	4
May 25, 1929	Michael J. Martin	54	8	3
May 23, 1929	Lucy MacLean	56	10	3
May 10, 1929	Ernest G. Smith	41		
Aug. 1, 1929	Thomas Cargill	66	1	11
Aug. 3, 1929	Samuel Gardner Cheney	23	8	17
Aug. 5, 1929	Bertha E. Woodworth	62	2	19
Aug. 31, 1929	William Francis Diamond	19	4	27
Oct. 24, 1929	Moorfield Storey	84	7	
Oct. 29, 1929	Thomas Barnes	74	1	3
Nov. 22, 1929	John Walter Nelson	67	9	16
Dec. 23, 1929	Hoyt L. Conary	62	8	19

Licenses Issued in 1929

There have been 129 Dog Licenses issued during the year—89 Males, 27 Females and 13 Spayed Females, for which the County Treasurer has been paid \$213.20.

There have been 55 Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses issued, 3 Resident Citizens' Trapping Licenses and 11 Minor Trappers' Licenses for the year 1929, for which the sum of \$133.50 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

THOMAS L. GILES,
Town Clerk.

JURY LIST FOR 1929

As prepared by the Selectmen of Lincoln

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Coburn, Edward S.	So. Lincoln	Farmer
Codman, Thomas N.	Lincoln	Retired
Cousins, Harold B.	Lincoln	Farmer
Davis, William H.	So. Lincoln	Trainer
Dee, Thomas J.	So. Lincoln	Farmer
De Normandie, William J.	Lincoln	Farmer
Ellms, Charles W.	So. Lincoln	Carpenter
Farrar, John F.	So. Lincoln	Farmer
Flint, Edward F.	Lincoln	Farmer
Giles, Thomas L.	So. Lincoln	Town Clerk
Hill, Irving S.	Lincoln	Clerk
Johnson, Walter W.	Lincoln	Farmer
Lahey, James E.	So. Lincoln	Carpenter
Lunt, Byron	Lincoln	Farmer
McHugh, John E.	Concord, R. F. D.	Farmer
Robus, William C.	Lincoln	Tel. Repairman
Ryan, Daniel J.	So. Lincoln	Farmer
Smith, Sumner	Lincoln	Farmer
Stone, Edward M.	So. Lincoln	Salesman
Tarbell, George G.	Lincoln	Treasurer
Wheeler, C. Edgar	So. Lincoln	Farmer

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The Selectmen present the following report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1929:

The Board was organized by the choice of C. L. Todd, Chairman, and R. D. Donaldson, Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments have been made during the year:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, John J. Kelliher.

Forest Warden and Moth Superintendent, John J. Kelliher.

Weigher of Coal, Hay and other Commodities, Elmer A. Rollins.

Inspector of Animals, John F. Farrar.

Janitor of Public Buildings and Caretaker of Public Grounds, Edward Bannon.

Special Police, Herbert G. Farrar, Henry Warner, Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., John Adams, Henry Adams, Daniel Ryan, John Campbell, L. Dugan, F. Hart.

District Nurse Committee, Robert D. Donaldson.

Inspector of Slaughtering, J. J. Kelliher.

Special Police and Game Warden, Isaac Langille.

Fire Engineers, M. H. Doherty, Jr., Thomas Dee, J. J. Kelliher, H. G. Farrar, A. J. Dougherty, H. S. Cousins, Sumner Smith.

Registrar, Raymond E. Hagerty.

The following table gives the appropriations made by the Town during the year 1929 and the appropriations recommended by the Board to be made at the next Annual Meeting:

	Appropriations for 1929	The Selectmen recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year
For Schools	\$36,000	\$35,500
Vocational Education	O	1,000
Center School Repairs	O	3,000
Public Welfare	2,200	2,300
Highways and Bridges	15,000	19,000
	and receipts	and receipts
Highways a/c Maintenance of Chap- ter 90, Roads	1,000	1,000
Cemeteries	500	800
Library and Dog Tax	500	800
Board of Health	2,000	1,000
	and receipts	and receipts
Tree Warden	800	1,000
	and receipts	and receipts
Moth Work	500	500
Miscellaneous Expenses, including		
Police Expenses	11,000	12,000
Hydrants and other Water Service	1,980	1,980
Waltham Hospital Free Bed	400	400
Street Lights	2,450	2,450
Fire Department	1,000	1,200
Middlesex Extension Service	200	200
Town Note of 1929	15,000	15,000
Interest on Town Loans	O	2,100
Water Sinking Fund	O	825
Flagpole Committee	3,000	700
Veteran's Aid	O	300
Tercentenary Expense	O	250

The Selectmen wish to bring to the attention of the Town the following letter from the Boston Consolidated Gas Co. and our reply to them.

BOSTON CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY
100 Arlington Street
Boston, Mass.

October 24, 1929.

Board of Selectmen,
Town of Lincoln.

Dear Sirs:

The Boston Consolidated Gas Company stands ready to extend its gas service to the Towns of Wayland, Sudbury, Lincoln and Concord, provided such service is desired by these towns and that the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities grants us the necessary authority.

The accompanying map shows the proposed locations of mains for the Town of Lincoln.

We believe the citizens of Lincoln will appreciate the benefits of gas service, which will make available to them an ideal fuel for cooking, water heating, house heating and many other purposes.

It is evident that the cost per customer of furnishing service will be somewhat more than in the cities and towns we are now serving because distances between customers' houses are very much greater. However, it is our intention to propose a rate to the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities that will not charge any customer, for any quantity of gas con-

sumed, more than \$1.00 per month in excess of the rates which apply to our present territory. This would mean that bills for various consumptions would be as follows:

1,000 cu. ft. per month.....	\$2.50
2,000 cu. ft. per month.....	3.50
5,000 cu. ft. per month.....	6.50
10,000 cu. ft. per month.....	11.50
20,000 cu. ft. per month.....	21.50

We have already petitioned the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities for authority to carry on business in your town, and if your Board is in favor of our proposition, we would be glad to have an expression of opinion from you which we could present to the Department at a subsequent public hearing on our petition, in order to give them evidence that people in your town are desirous of receiving gas service from this Company.

Very truly yours,

BOSTON CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY

(signed) Alan Cunningham, Sec'y

November 13, 1929.

Boston Consolidated Gas Co.,
100 Arlington St.,
Boston, Mass.

Attention Alan Cunningham, Sec'y.

Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of October 24th to the Selectmen of Lincoln saying that you stood ready to extend your gas service into the town, provided the Massa-

chusetts Utilities Department approved, let me say that it is the opinion of the Sélectmen that such extension under the proper conditions would be welcomed by the town.

Yours very truly,

(signed) C. L. TODD,

Chairman, Selectmen of Lincoln.

The Selectmen recommend in their appropriations for the Highways the sum of \$19,000. This is \$4,000 more than last year—the extra money to be used in rebuilding the road, starting at the corner of the late Mr. Charles Wheeler and going north.

We ask for this extra appropriation because we consider the road in the present condition is not adequate for automobiles and pedestrians. It is necessary to safeguard the children who, through the winter months, are transported over this road twice daily.

The Selectmen believe the rebuilding of this road should be done this year.

We are asking for \$1,000 more in the miscellaneous appropriation than would be needed, were it not for a demand made upon the Town by the State Public Safety Department to install in the Town Hall a stairway leading directly out of doors from the dressing room on the right of the upper hall. While we think that perhaps this is not an absolutely necessary precaution, the Selectmen wish to comply with the order.

Mr. David Farquhar has presented to the Town a parcel of land on the Flint-Lexington Road, which you will find described in Article XVI. We think the Town should accept this piece of land with due acknowledgement to Mr. Farquhar.

The resignation of Edward Bannon, who has served the Town faithfully for a great number of years as Caretaker and Janitor of the Town buildings, was submitted to the Selectmen the last of the year. In accepting his resignation, we feel that the Town has lost a man who took a large interest in his work.

C. L. TODD,
R. D. DONALDSON,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,
Selectmen.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BOARD OF SURVEY, PLANNING BOARD AND BUILDING LAWS

Your Committee submits herewith its report on the Board of Survey, Planning Board and Building Laws. These three subjects must be considered separately.

Your Committee has inserted in the Town Warrant articles relating to these three subjects, so that the Town may have opportunity to take action upon them.

Your Committee recommends only the adoption of the Board of Survey, but it feels that the Town should have opportunity to create a Planning Board and provide for building laws if it is the desire of the citizens of the Town to do so.

Board of Survey

A Board of Survey is created in a town by the acceptance of Section 73, Chapter 41, of the General Laws of the Commonwealth. The General Laws provide that in towns which accept this Section the Selectmen shall constitute the Board of Survey. After the establishment of a Board of Survey, no person may open a private way for public use without first submitting to the Board suitable plans thereof in accordance with such rules and regulations as the Board may prescribe. In effect, this means that a real estate developer may not buy up a large tract of land, cut it up into lots and run streets through it unless he submits his plans to the Board before he opens

such streets for public use. The reasonableness of this law can readily be seen in that a town has the power of approval of the laying out of streets which it may in time have to accept as public highways. The width and grades of these private ways must be approved by the Board of Survey.

Whereas it does not seem to your Committee that there is great need at present in the Town of Lincoln for a Board of Survey; nevertheless the establishment of such a Board will not in any way add to our machinery of government and will be a safeguard against any unscrupulous land promoter coming into the Town and opening private ways for public use which may be unsafe or of such improper width and grades that the Town would be forced to go to great expense at a later date in rebuilding them should the Town accept them as public highways.

Your Committee recommends the acceptance of Section 73, Chapter 41, of the General Laws.

Planning Board

Section 70, Chapter 41, of the General Laws, provide that every city and every town having a population of more than 10,000 at the last preceding national or state census shall, and towns having a population of less than 10,000 may create a Planning Board.

It is not necessary to accept this Section to create such a Board. The General Laws state that a Planning Board "Shall make careful studies of the resources, possibilities and needs of the town, particularly with respect to conditions injurious to the public health or otherwise in and about rented dwellings, and make plans for the development of the municipality, with special reference to proper housing of its inhabitants."

Such a Board is elected at the annual town meeting. It makes a report annually to the annual town meeting, giving information regarding the condition of the town and any plans or problems for its development and estimates for the cost thereof. Its duties are entirely advisory, as a Planning Board has no power other than that of recommendation to the town.

Your Committee believes that the Town of Lincoln has not yet reached a size where a Planning Board is either necessary or advisable. It would seem that the Selectmen of a small town should carry on the duties of such a Board. When a town grows to such size that a careful survey of the town with reference to its needs is too great a task to be added to the other duties of the Board of Selectmen, then at that time such a Board should be created.

Section 70 of the General Laws shows that apparently the Legislature of the Commonwealth did not believe that it was necessary for a town of less than 10,000 to have a Planning Board. Certainly the Town of Lincoln, in population and in yearly growth, is so small that the Selectmen should readily assume the duties of a Planning Board. The creation of such a Planning Board would add to the structure of Town government which it is desirable to keep as simple as is consistent with efficient administration. Such addition would merely be duplication of an existing Board which, in the opinion of your Committee, can fully care for the duties assigned to a Planning Board. Unquestionably such a Board is a desirable part of the government of larger communities.

Your Committee does not recommend the establishment of a Planning Board.

Building Laws

To adopt Building Laws a town must accept the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 143, of the General Laws. This Section was accepted by the Town at the last Annual Town Meeting in connection with the Zoning By-Law. Your Committee feels that Building Laws are advisable in any community where many buildings are being erected or likely to be erected by builders for sale or for commercial use. In such cases the buyer or lessee should be protected against improper construction. Very little of the building in Lincoln is of such a nature. Most of it is done by the owner who intends to occupy a dwelling as a home. It seems unreasonable to suppose that anyone will allow his own home to be built in so unworkmanlike a manner as to be unsafe. The isolated cases of construction for immediate sale are so few, that the great need for Building Laws is not present. At the present time the Edison Electric Illuminating Company will not connect to a building the wiring of which has not been done in an approved method. The problem of gas pipes is not present. Nor in Lincoln are houses erected so closely together as to necessitate non-combustible roofing material.

The adoption of Building Laws would of necessity entail the appointment of a building inspector. Such a man would have to be thoroughly conversant with all phases of construction. He would have to be on call at any time. He should not be a man who does construction work himself within the Town. The expense of properly filling this office would be great, and in the opinion of your Committee would not be at all commensurate with any benefits attained.

It seems to your Committee that the present Zoning Law protects the Town against any improper type of

construction in that most of the Town is restricted to single residences. If a Board of Survey is established this will further protect the Town against undesirable shack development.

Your Committee does not recommend the adoption of Building Laws at the present time. When the construction of houses for sale to others becomes frequent, Building Laws should then be enacted.

THOMAS J. DEE

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY, JR.

THOMAS L. GILES

SUMNER SMITH

GEORGE G. TARBELL

REPORT OF THE WARS MEMORIAL AND FLAGPOLE COMMITTEE

Your Committee during the past year completed part of its assignment.

The character and construction of the Memorial was decided upon and the dedication took place on the Library grounds with simple, effective services on Armistice Day, November 11, 1929. The program follows:

PARADE

Veterans, Legion, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, 10.30 A. M.

Form on school grounds and march to Library

BUGLER, ASSEMBLY 11 A. M.

INVOCATION REV. SMITH O. DEXTER

"AMERICA" *Sung by the gathering*

PRESENTATION OF MEMORIAL TO TOWN

By Chairman of Committee

ACCEPTANCE *By Chairman of Selectmen*

PRAYER REV. MR. THORP

UNVEILING

DEDICATION SPEECH REV. NORMAN B. NASH

"STAR SPANGLED BANNER" *Sung by the gathering*

BENEDICTION REV. FATHER FINNICK

BUGLER, TAPS WITH ECHO

The balance of the Committee's assignment viz:—the matter of the flagpole, its construction, location, etc., is still under consideration.

C. L. TODD,
R. D. DONALDSON,
H. G. FARRAR,
MRS. J. H. NORTON,
A. S. GRAVES, *Chairman*,
Lincoln Wars Memorial Committee.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

The year 1929 has been an unusually healthy one for the Town of Lincoln as regards the occurrence of communicable diseases. The incidence of all diseases has been far below normal except for scarlet fever. While there has been no epidemic, there has been during the Winter months a constant occurrence of new cases. None of these has been, fortunately, of any great severity, and there have been no serious complications. It has proved impossible to trace the source of the infection in spite of every effort by your Committee. Milk samples have been collected from the various dairies four times during the year, and the reports have been unusually satisfactory. The Public Health Nurse has made fifty-four visits for the Board of Health. Several piggeries have been inspected and nuisances corrected. As voted at the last Town Meeting, the car of the Public Health Nurse was turned in and a new one purchased. Apart from this your Committee has no further report to make, and no unusual expenditures are anticipated for the ensuing year.

List of communicable diseases:

Chicken Pox	2
Dog Bite	1
Influenza	6
Mumps	2
Scarlet Fever	11
	—
Total	22

DONALD MACOMBER
 RICHARD K. CONANT
 R. D. DONALDSON

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

In boys' and girls' 4-H club work, twenty-four boys and girls were enrolled in the canning, poultry, garden and handicraft clubs. Especially good work was done by the garden club. Teddy Matucieski was awarded the Two-Day Trip to the Massachusetts Agricultural College for doing outstanding club work. Henry Flint and Clifford Bowles exhibited a fine collection of vegetables at the Grange Fair. Other boys and girls also exhibited at this fair.

In the home economics work, a group was developed in North Lincoln, under the leadership of Miss Sarah Brooks. The two projects they have developed have been Living-room Improvements and Vegetable Preparation.

In agriculture, most of the service rendered has taken the form of individual farm visits, twenty-nine requests having been answered and assistance given on individual problems.

Seven motion picture shows have been given, with an attendance of 1084.

County-wide meetings in poultry, fruit growing and market gardening have been available to the Lincoln people and many attended the county picnic held during the Summer at Wayside Inn, Sudbury, Mass.

Respectfully submitted,

H. T. WHEELER,
Director.

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Outstanding Bonds December 31, 1929

Issue of 1900 due 1930 $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D.....	\$10,000.00
Issue of 1900 due 1930 Reg'd $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, J. & D. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	13,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Coupons $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S.....	6,000.00
Issue of 1902 due 1932 Reg'd $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	3,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon $3\frac{1}{2}$ s, M. & N.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1903 due 1934 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	5,000.00
Issue of 1906 due 1936 Coupon 4s, M. & S.....	14,000.00
Issue of 1907 due 1937 Reg'd 4s, M. & S. (name of Commonwealth of Massachusetts).....	4,000.00
	\$60,000.00

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Water Commissioners respectfully submit the following report:

The pump equipment and pipe lines gave good service with few repairs last year, and appear to be in very good condition. The remainder of Pierce Hill line was re-laid. The part of the reservoir bank which had been washed away most, was walled up before winter, and the job will be finished when help is available. Low water in Sandy Pond has permitted the shores to be cleaned of brush and driftwood.

In connection with low water, it seems important to call the water takers' attention to the amount of water used per capita in Lincoln compared with the average used in the rest of the State. Lincoln uses three times the low average in the State, and twice the normal, which proves a very great waste of water, and a waste which will have to be prevented.

88,000,000 gallons were pumped at a cost of \$27.64 per million gallons, figured on salary and power expenses.

Respectfully submitted,

SUMNER SMITH
JOHN J. KELLIHER
ROBERT R. HUNTER

Statistics Relating to Distribution System

Mains

1. Extended during the year, 50 ft., 4 in.
2. Discontinued during the year, none.
3. Mains renewed during year, 550 ft. (Pierce Hill).
4. Total now in use, 27.661 miles.
5. Number of hydrants added during the year, none.
6. Number of hydrants replaced, 2.
7. Number of hydrants (public and private) now in use, 135.
8. Number of stop-gates renewed, none. Number of stop-gates added during the year, 1 4-inch gate.

9. Number of stop-gates now in use, 155.

10. Number of blow-offs, 30.

11. Range of pressure on mains, 40 pounds to 100 pounds.

Services

12. Renewed, 7. Discontinued, 0.

13. Number of service taps added during the year, 4.

14. Number now in use, 406.

15. Meters now in use, 14.

WATER REPORT

Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending December 31, 1929

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance on hand January 1, 1929	\$ 2,626.56	Selectmen's orders	\$6,876.91
T. L. Giles, Collector	13,521.04	Town of Lincoln Sinking Fund, Loan	4,000.00
Bank interest	37.58	Balance on hand December 31, 1928	5,310.27
Miscellaneous	2.00		
Total	<u>\$16,187.18</u>	Total	<u>\$16,187.18</u>

Operating Account for year ending December 31, 1929

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Rates	\$12,805.85	Power	\$1,610.58
Meter	715.19	Salaries	825.00
Sundry	39.58	Interest	2,950.00
		Repairs and Renewals	1,301.00
		Miscellaneous	121.80
		Town of Lincoln Sinking Fund, Loan	4,000.00
		Balance	2,752.24
Total	<u>\$13,560.62</u>	Total	<u>\$13,560.62</u>

WATER REPORT (Continued)

Capital Account	
ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Construction	Bonds outstanding
Sinking Fund	Surplus
Bills uncollected	
Cash on hand	
Total	Total
\$193,529.49	\$ 60,000.00
49,993.45	192,688.80
3,855.59	
5,310.27	
\$252,688.80	\$252,688.80

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

South Lincoln, Mass.,
January 31, 1930.

To the Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their twenty-second Annual Report ending December, 1929.

Force

The Fire Department consists of the following: one chief, six engineers, and nineteen call men.

Apparatus

The apparatus belonging to the Department is as follows: One 600-gallon pump, two combination trucks, twenty-seven extinguishers, eight ladders and 2,500 feet of hose.

Location of Apparatus

Pump and Number 2 Combination Truck at Doherty's Garage, South Lincoln, and Number 3 Combination Truck at T. J. Dee's, North Lincoln.

Fires

Sixty-seven alarms have been answered. Pump and Number 2 Combination Truck responded to six chimney, forty-two forest and grass, seven building, two auto, one

oil burner and one call to Sandy Pond. Number 3 Combination Truck responded to three forest and grass, one auto and four building fires.

Total loss, \$33,000.

It is the opinion of the fire engineers that a fire alarm signal should be installed.

Very Truly,

M. H. DOHERTY, *Chief*

T. J. DEE

J. J. KELLIHER

H. G. FARRAR

A. J. DOUGHERTY, JR.

H. S. COUSINS

SUMNER SMITH

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Board of Selectmen:—

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1929:

The usual work has been done such as snow work, sanding the roads in Winter, putting up snow fence, etc. Early in the Spring we filled up the ruts and scraped the back roads, patched the hard surfaced roads, we also built a face wall on two sides of the new part of the Cemetery, and dug off some bad places on the Lexington Road. We put in three new culverts where the water was held back by the roads, and blasted out some bad ledges and rocks on the Trapelo and Dr. Herman Roads. We built about one-fourth of a mile of gravel road twenty feet wide and put in four hundred and fifty feet of side drain near the Concord line on the Vagina Road.

We scarified, scraped and rolled the Sandy Pond and Trapelo Roads, thereby making them smoother and much better to ride over. I think it would be a good thing to do some more of the roads the same way this year.

We covered most of the roads with tarvia and oil and covered them with sand.

We also graded and fixed with bituminous material four crossings for the B. & M. R. R.

The Highway Department is about the same as last year, both trucks are in good running condition at the present time.

The guide boards generally are in good condition but where necessary, I have had new ones painted and put in place.

The amount available for road work was:

Highways	\$15,000.00
Chapter 90 Work	1,000.00
Receipts Available	8,826.00
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Total	\$24,826.00

The amount expended is approximately as follows:

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Labor	\$3,300.00
Repairs	800.00
Supplies	3,200.00
Hay and grain	890.00
Telephone and light	75.00
Trucks and gas	1,400.00
Rent and water	437.00
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Total	\$10,102.00

STATE AID ACCOUNT

Labor	\$5,230.00
Material	5,570.00
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Total	\$10,800.00

CHAPTER 90 WORK ACCOUNT

Labor	\$1,390 .00
Material	2,000 .00
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Total	\$3,390 .00

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,

Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

On the 31st of December, 1929, there was \$211.80 of the 1928 levy uncollected, since that date this amount has been collected, so that there are no uncollected taxes prior to the 1929 commitment.

Of the 1929 levy there remains \$13,092.35 uncollected, of which amount \$1,412.67 is on account of the Motor Vehicle Excise Tax.

THOMAS L. GILES,
Collector of Taxes.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby submit a report of all the money paid out by the Town Treasurer by order of the Selectmen of Lincoln.

I have visited Mr. Todd at his office and was shown all securities and investments held by him.

JAMES W. LENNON,
Auditor.

SCHOOLS

PAYMENTS

Town Treasurer, Teachers' and Janitor's Salary	16,116.00
Town of Concord, Tuition	3,697.40
City of Waltham, Tuition	1,348.82
City of Boston, Tuition	513.21
Town of Weston, Tuition	120.00
Mass. Teachers Retirement Board, Deductions	548.50
City of Newton, Tuition	245.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	94.47
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Service	76.94
Doherty Garage, Transportation	5,009.00
Thomas J. Dee, Transportation	1,255.00
Waltham Bus Line, Transportation	637.00
Boston & Maine R. R., Transportation	115.00
Gerald Harvey, Transportation	20.90
Annie Diamond, Transportation	32.00

Town of Lexington, Tuition	54.00
John Algeo, Transportation	22.40
Ralph Butcher, Transportation	51.00
John Cook, Transportation	35.20
Clifford Bowles, Transportation	30.00
Thomas J. Dee, Insurance on Bus	67.00
Doherty Garage, Insurance on Busses	140.00
Charles E. Woodhull, Care of Pianos	42.00
H. A. Wood, M.D., Professional Services	200.00
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	773.29
Edith Farrar, Taking School Census	15.00
Commissioners of Public Safety, Inspect. Boilers	20.00
Lafflin Express, Express	1.85
Arthur Fitt, Repairs on Clock	25.00
E. Howard Clock Co., Repairs on Clock	7.14
Lincoln Water Works, Water	75.50
Board of Health, Service of Nurse	400.00
Arthur Harding, Inspecting Boiler	8.00
Charles M. Robinson, Expenses and Supplies	88.10
Carl Holloran, Expenses and Supplies	25.76
Watertown Electric Co., Labor and Supplies	695.00
Edward McLeod, Labor and Supplies	614.83
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor and Supplies	195.46
Doherty Garage, Labor and Supplies	29.90
J. Johansen, Labor and Supplies	12.00
Manning MacRae, Labor and Supplies	19.81
A. R. McLeod, Labor and Supplies	28.69
George E. Cunningham, Labor	17.00
Langille Bros., Labor	132.40
Milton-Bradley Co., Supplies	177.91
Edward E. Babb Co., Supplies	120.70
J. L. Hammett Co., Supplies	203.77
Boston Pipe & Fitting Co., Supplies	86.80
Mitchell Woodbury Co., Supplies	.....
Houghton, Mifflin Co., Supplies	77.35

Ginn & Company, Supplies	75.57
Charles Scribners & Son, Supplies	68.49
Silver-Burdett Co., Supplies	64.70
G. H. Buckminster, Supplies	62.42
Masury-Young Co., Supplies	55.95
Webster Publishing Co., Supplies	46.45
John C. Winston, Supplies	44.87
Denoyer-Geppert Co., Supplies	40.05
W. L. Ellis, Supplies	34.50
Mass. Reformatory, Supplies	33.50
Rollins Bros., Supplies	33.03
H. R. French, Supplies	32.48
American Book Co., Supplies	29.40
C. H. Clark, Supplies	27.70
Invoice, Supplies	25.59
Frognor Publishing Co., Supplies	23.28
Harcourt-Brace & Co., Supplies	20.56
William French, Supplies	18.20
Allyn & Bacon, Supplies	18.32
Arthur Harding, Supplies	17.00
Office Appliance Co., Supplies	15.10
Oval & Koster Co., Supplies	15.40
Rand McNally Co., Supplies	18.42
Berkley-Cardy Co., Supplies	13.17
Dorothy Snelling, Supplies	12.90
Marion Parker, Supplies	11.44
MacMillan Co., Supplies	11.08
Burdett & Williams Co., Supplies	10.60
Jordan Marsh Co., Supplies	10.00
Wright & Ditson, Supplies	8.17
Esterbrook Steel Pen Co., Supplies	7.36
Lyons & Carnahan, Supplies	7.29
University Publishing Co., Supplies	7.07
Current Events, Supplies	7.07
Waltham Wooden Ware Co., Supplies	6.60

W. D. Cross Co., Supplies	6.00
Perry Picture Co., Supplies	5.20
Underwood Typewriter Co., Supplies	5.00
Arlo Publishing Co., Supplies	4.55
World Book Co., Supplies	4.16
Oliver Ditson, Supplies	3.60
A. M. Eaton Paper Co., Supplies	3.50
H. A. Grimwood, Supplies	3.43
Wright & Potter Printing Co., Supplies	3.46
Miss Wheeler, Supplies	2.81
Frank Richardson, Supplies	2.66
Standard Electric Time Co., Supplies	1.10
Hall & McCreary, Supplies	2.07
Waltham Public Schools, Supplies	.95
Mary Magoon, Teaching	10.00
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Total	\$35,379.37

HIGHWAYS

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Supt., Labor	\$648.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	430.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	424.00
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	424.00
George Monaldi, Labor	424.00
John W. Rooney, Labor	392.00
William H. Ryan, Labor	360.00
John Wilson, Labor	64.00
George Hunter, Labor	49.80
Elmer Beau, Labor	48.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Sand	134.00

Thomas J. Dee, Sand	12.50
Mrs. Morrissey, Sand	17.50
Mrs. O'Leary, Sand	11.50
Charles Glover, Gravel	53.75
B. W. Brown Grain Co., Supplies	602.67
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Supplies	1,069.12
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	552.84
Edward S. Quirk, Supplies	521.25
General Crushed Stone Co., Supplies	406.49
Dyar Sales & Machine Co., Supplies	278.19
The Barrett Company, Supplies	121.60
Peter Perry, Supplies	57.80
Doherty Garage, Supplies	47.46
Benj. Pike, Supplies	55.85
Good Roads Machine Co., Supplies	48.70
Henry A. Grimwood, Supplies	37.56
Barber Asphalt Co., Supplies	3.00
Rice's Garage, Supplies	27.75
A. D. Moreau, Supplies	1.00
Wood-Hydraulic Body & Hoist Co., Supplies	31.21
New Eng. Concrete Co., Supplies	164.40
M. J. Carney, Supplies	115.00
Ferguson & Co., Supplies	2.80
C. H. Clark, Supplies	12.00
J. W. Millbury, Supplies	1.75
Wilson Lumber Co., Supplies	108.89
William H. Sherman, Cash on Freight	17.91
William H. Sherman, Cash paid for Hay	25.00
W. H. Sherman, Cash paid for Straw	14.00
Registry of Motor Vehicles, Registration	2.00
Doherty Garage, Storing Truck	67.50
American Gasaccumulator Co., Labor & Supplies	61.25
William E. Watson, Labor & Supplies	18.30
E. S. Burgess, Labor & Supplies	407.10
The White Company, Labor & Supplies	253.87

Edward McLeod, Labor & Supplies	1.94
Community Auto Service, Labor & Supplies	74.14
Dr. Sibley, Professional Services	5.00
Commissioners of Mass., Gasoline Tax	1.00
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light	6.05
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	56.15
Walter Porter, Labor on Snow	61.60
W. J. Baskin, Labor on Snow	64.00
James Neville, Labor on Snow	48.00
Lincoln Water Works, Water	49.00
Liberty Mutual Insurance Co., Insurance on Truck	24.96
Daniel E. Sherman, Horse	65.00
Herbert Neally, Painting Signs	18.00
Daniel E. Sherman, Standing Grass & Labor	260.00
P. Falardeau, 1 Road Drag	22.50
William Wilson & Son, Labor on Drain	55.00
Thomas F. Coan, Care of Horses	360.00
Sumner Smith, Rent for Barn	400.00
American R. R. Ex. Co., Express	2.05
Total	<hr/> \$10,201.70

HIGHWAY STATE AID

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Services	\$1,008.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	606.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	624.00
Timothy F. Crowley, Labor	612.00
William H. Ryan, Labor	568.00
John W. Rooney, Labor	644.00
George Monaldi, Labor	600.00
Onil Iesewitz, Labor	256.00

Michael Connors, Labor	72.00
Fred Tyler, Labor	24.00
Joseph Gilbert, Labor	24.00
George Martin, Labor	8.00
Martin J. Rooney, Labor	4.00
James Murphy, Labor	16.00
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	2,906.23
The Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	1,396.08
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Supplies	1,136.21
Wilson Lumber Co., Supplies	67.20
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	40.73
Michael Connors, Gasoline	6.00
Mrs. Morrissey, Sand & Gravel	155.00
William H. Sherman, Cash Paid to Laborers	24.00
Total	<hr/> \$10,797.45

HIGHWAY—CHAPTER 90.

PAYMENTS

William H. Sherman, Services	\$252.00
Thomas E. Coan, Labor	196.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	144.00
Timothy Crowley, Labor	144.00
William H. Ryan, Labor	184.00
George Monaldi, Labor	192.00
Onil Iesewitz, Labor	112.00
John W. Rooney, Labor	48.00
Lincoln Highway Dept., Labor of Horses	240.00
Lincoln Highway Dept., Labor of Truck	420.00
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	677.51
The Barrett Mfg. Co., Supplies	323.20
Mass. Broken Stone Co., Supplies	237.30

New Eng. Concrete Pipe Corp., Supplies	87.00
Thomas Whiting, Blasting Rock	15.00
William H. Sherman, Cash Paid to Laborers	96.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Sand	26.00

Total	\$3,394.01
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MOTH DEPARTMENT

PAYMENTS

Fred Tyler, Labor	\$836.00
Joseph Gilbert, Labor	290.00
Bowker Chemical Co., Supplies	112.03
Tar Product Corp., Supplies	6.83
Doherty Garage, Freight	1.00

Total	\$1,245.86
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CEMETERY

PAYMENTS

Lincoln Water Works, Water	\$40.00
Hugh McPartland, Labor	176.00
Fritz Cunnert, Labor	104.00
Fred Tyler, Labor	72.00
Joseph Gilbert, Labor	52.00
Austin Ford & Son, Labor	32.70
James Milbury, Labor	4.50
Brown Grain Co., Supplies	7.10

Totals	\$488.30
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EDISON ELECTRIC ILL'G CO.

 PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Dec. 1928	\$197.38
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Jan. 1929	219.63
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Feb.	201.47
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Mar.	204.90
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Apr.	203.68
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for May	185.73
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for June	178.39
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for July	183.57
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Aug.	183.94
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Sept.	194.90
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Oct.	211.23
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Light for Nov.	218.37

Total	\$2,383.19
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BOARD OF HEALTH

 PAYMENTS

Rice's Garage, Repairs on Nurses Car	\$137.75
Doherty Garage, Repairs on Nurses Car	76.77
Dorothy Snelling, Salary	1,625.00
Dorothy Snelling, Stamps & Postage	2.00
Dorothy Snelling, Supplies	2.80
Rollins Bros., Supplies	1.60
Edith Farrar, Supplies	6.91
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	2.63

Wellesley Board of Nurses, Analysis	22.00
Waltham Hospital, Care of Patients	151.00
Liberty Mutual Ins. Co., Insurance on Car	54.00
Wayland Motors, Car for Nurse	512.00
James O'Neil, Registration on Car	2.00
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Total	\$2,596.46

WATER

PAYMENTS

Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Power & Light	\$1,558.45
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	84.38
Doherty Garage, Delivering Freight	2.70
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	32.84
Joseph Gilbert, Labor	144.00
Fred Tyler, Labor	289.00
George Cunningham, Labor	4.00
John W. Rooney, Labor	49.00
William H. Ryan, Labor	73.00
Joseph Mahan, Labor	49.00
Thomas F. Coan, Labor	49.00
Timothy J. Crowley, Labor	49.00
George Monaldi, Labor	24.00
Augustine Melanson, Labor	15.00
Daniel Holman, Labor	10.00
Joseph Frapicella, Labor	15.00
Standard Oil Co., Supplies	33.50
Rollins Bros., Supplies	5.90
Sumner & Dunbar, Supplies	99.12
Rumsey Pump Co., Supplies	18.81
Builders Iron Foundry, Supplies	.41

Fred A. Houdlette & Sons, Supplies	94.40
Red Hed Mfg. Co., Supplies	88.75
Boston & Maine R. R., Freight	.50
Pierces Express, Express	.50
Leonard Robinson, Reading Meter Charts	40.00
Manning MacRae, Labor & Supplies	271.65
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Water Rates, 1928	200.00
Robert B. Hunter, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
Sumner Smith, Services as Water Commissioner	75.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Supt. of Water Works	475.00
First National Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	332.50
First National Bank, Coupons due Nov. 1	87.50
First National Bank, Coupons \$10,000 @ $3\frac{1}{2}\%$, due Dec. 1	175.00
First National Bank, Coupons due Mar. 1	100.00
First National Bank, Coupons due Mar.	17.50
First National Bank, Coupons \$2,000 @ $3\frac{1}{2}\%$, due Sept. 1928-1929	35.00
First National Bank, Coupons due Mar. 1	350.00
First National Bank, Coupons due May 1	87.50
First National Bank, Coupons due June 1	175.00
First National Bank, Coupons due Sept. 1	135.00
First National Bank, Coupons due Sept.	332.50
First National Bank, Coupons due Nov. 1	87.50
First National Bank, Coupons due Dec. 1	175.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd Int. on \$3,000, due Mar. 1	52.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd Int. on \$4,000, due Mar. 1	80.00
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd Int., due June 1	227.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd Int. on \$3,000 @ $3\frac{1}{2}\%$, 1932	52.50
Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd Int. on \$4,000 @ 4%, 1937	80.00

Commonwealth of Mass., Reg'd on \$13,000 @ 3½%	227.50
Lincoln Sinking & Trust Fund Commrs., Int.	
\$4,000, due Mar. 1	70.00
Lincoln Sinking & Trust Fund Commrs., Int.	
\$4,000, due Sept. 1	70.00
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Total	\$6,876.91

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

PAYMENTS

Expenses	\$1,911.95
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ZONING COMMITTEE

PAYMENTS

Edward Hartman, Preparing Zoning Plan	\$750.00
Daniels Printing Co., Printing	132.00
P. A. Carter, Printing	6.50
Robert Pierce, Services in Tracing Old Map	6.50
Doherty Garage, Delivering Circulars	25.00
Spaulding Moss Co., Supplies	5.76
George Tarbell, Supplies	11.40
Lafflins-Bedford Express, Express	.35
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Total	\$937.51

FIRE DEPARTMENT

 PAYMENTS

John J. Kelliher, Services as Engineer	\$25.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services as Engineer	25.00
Matthew H. Doherty, Services as Engineer	25.00
Harold S. Cousins, Services as Engineer	25.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Engineer	25.00
Sumner Smith, Services as Engineer	25.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Services as Engineer	25.00
Doherty Garage, Storing Truck	300.00
Thomas J. Dee, Storing Truck	108.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services	22.71
Henry K. Barnes Co., Services	133.29
Clara W. Gayor, Supplies	13.00
Doherty Garage, Labor & Supplies	5.84
Herbert G. Farrar, Labor at Fires	52.00
Thomas J. Dee, Labor at Fires	31.25
Harold S. Cousins, Labor at Fires	20.00
William C. Robus, Labor at Fires	16.00
Michael Diamond, Labor at Fires	12.00
Joseph Frazio, Labor at Fires	12.00
Ralph Butcher, Labor at Fires	12.00
John B. Farrar, Labor at Fires	11.50
John Chaves, Jr., Labor at Fires	11.00
John Gilbert, Labor at Fires	11.00
Joseph Dolan, Labor at Fires	9.00
Florey Campabasso, Labor at Fires	8.00
Arthur Charboneau, Labor at Fires	8.00
John O. Algeo, Labor at Fires	6.00
Total	<hr/> \$977.59

MISCELLANEOUS

 PAYMENTS

New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Services	\$126.91
Edison Electric Ill'g Co., Services	61.03
Edward Bannon, Care of Public Buildings	720.00
Thomas L. Giles, Collecting Taxes for 1928 and 1929	1,347.30
Thomas L. Giles, Services as Clerk & Registrar	300.00
Thomas L. Giles, Stamps & Postage	27.88
Maynard Coal Co., Coal	128.08
Maynard Coal Co., 5,200 lbs. Egg Coal @ \$14.25	37.05
Maynard Coal Co., 52,175 lbs. Egg Coal @ \$13.75	358.70
Maynard Coal Co., 16,175 lbs. Bit. Coal @ \$8.50	68.75
Maynard Coal Co., 16,000 lbs. Stove Coal @ \$14.25	114.00
Michael Connors, Abatement of Taxes	1.10
Lester L. Peterson, Abatement of Taxes	2.20
Mrs. S. R. Sherman, Abatement of Taxes	11.00
John J. Kelliher, Services as Constable	1,500.00
Isaac Langille, Constable	58.00
Isaac Langille, Game Warden	1.00
Ernest H. MacFarland, Services as Registrar	25.00
Harry M. Condit, Jr., Services as Registrar	25.00
Andrew J. Dougherty, Jr., Services as Registrar	25.00
Liberty Mutual Insurance Co., Insurance on Car	27.00
Irving Hill, Insurance on Public Buildings	1,732.50
Irving Hill, Insurance on Scales at Library	38.59
Irving Hill, Insurance on 2 Bonds	135.00
Irving Hill, Endorsements Dated Mar. 5	625.05
Department of Corporation & Taxation, Certifying Notes	8.00

Daniels Printing Co., Printing	\$710.90
The Davol Printing House, Printing	22.75
Minute-Man Press Co., Printing	16.00
P. A. Carter, Printing	7.00
P. B. Murphy, Printing	4.00
Lafflin's Express Co., Express	.35
John F. Farrar, Inspecting Cattle, 1928	75.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Selectman	200.00
C. Lee Todd, Services as Selectman	200.00
Robert D. Donaldson, Services as Selectman	200.00
Raymond S. Hagerty, Services at Town Election	4.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services at Town Election	4.00
Edward M. Stone, Services at Town Election	4.00
Blanche M. Smith, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	5.93
Julian DeCordova, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	2.97
Clyde W. Morse, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	5.93
Robert C. Kinney, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	1.49
John Adams, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	3.13
Miss E. O. Adams, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	3.95
Daisy A. Tighe, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	8.89
Holger J. Jensen, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	4.45
Charles Woodhull, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	3.71
Clara F. Chapin, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	4.45
Fred F. Clark, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	1.49
Robert L. De Normandie, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	22.73
Roger Sherman, Refund on Auto Excise Tax	5.93
William H. Sherman, Services as Assessor	175.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Services as Assessor	200.00
Thomas J. Dee, Services as Assessor	150.00
George G. Tarbell, Services as Treasurer	300.00
James W. Lennon, Services as Auditor	125.00
Herbert G. Farrar, Special Police	25.00
Lincoln Water Works, Service	50.00

Town of Concord, Erecting Sign at Lee's Bridge	15.09
James F. O'Neil, Motor Vehicle Registration	3.00
Doherty Garage, Supplies	195.29
Rice's Garage, Supplies	107.61
Rollins Bros., Supplies	1.05
L. L. Applin, Supplies	11.32
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	5.33
George G. Tarbell, Supplies	39.92
W. & L. E. Gurley, Supplies	4.61
Burdett & Williams, Supplies	17.00
Carter Ink Co., Supplies	1.34
F. H. Lawrence, Labor	10.00
George E. Cunningham, Labor	40.00
Harry F. Saunders, Labor	8.78
Watch City Taxi, Labor	6.00
J. W. Milbury, Labor	5.00
Brackett & Shaw Co., 1 Electric Lawn Mower	320.00
Charles E. Woodhull, Care of Pianos	32.00
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Total	\$10,875.53

LIBRARY

PAYMENTS

John F. Farrar, Treas., Dog Tax Returned	\$223.69
John F. Farrar, Treas., Appropriation	500.00
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Total	\$723.69

INTEREST ON BORROWED MONEY

PAYMENTS

Old Colony Corporation, Int. on \$25,000	\$879.61
Old Colony Corporation, Int. on \$15,000	301.06
Sinking Fund Comm'rs, Int. on \$7,000	332.50
First Nat'l Bank, Int. on \$15,000, @ 6%, June 14- June 21	17.50
First Nat'l Bank, Int. on \$20,000, @ 5 70/100%, June 21-December 20	585.42
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Total	\$2,116.09

MIDDLESEX CO. EXTENSION SERVICE

PAYMENT

Middlesex Co., Extension Service, Appropriation	\$200 00
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HYDRANTS AND OTHER WATER SERVICE

PAYMENTS

Lincoln Water Works, Watering Troughs, 1928 and 1929	\$ 400.00
Lincoln Water Works, 132 Hydrants	1,980.00
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Total	\$2,380 00

WALTHAM HOSPITAL

PAYMENT

Waltham Hospital, Appropriation	\$400.00
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TOWN WAR MEMORIAL

PAYMENTS

T. F. McGann & Sons Co., Memorial	\$1,321.97
Robert D. Donaldson, Labor on Stone	350.00
E. D. Abbott Co., Printing Programs	16.00
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Total	\$1,687.97

SPECIAL FUND FROM MASSACHUSETTS

PAYMENT

T. F. McGann & Sons Co., Memorial	\$628.03
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RECAPITULATION

PAYMENTS

Schools	\$35,379.37
Highways	10,201.70
Miscellaneous	10,875.53
Highway State Aid	10,797.45
Highway, Chapter 90	3,394.01
Water	6,876.91
Board of Health	2,596.46
Street Lights	2,383.19
Hydrants and Other Water Service	2,380.00
Interest	2,116.09
Department of Public Welfare	1,911.95
Town War Memorial	1,687.97
Moth Department	1,245.86
Fire Department	977.59
Zoning Committee	937.51
Library	723.69
Special Fund from Massachusetts	628.03
Cemetery	488.30
Waltham Hospital	400.00
Middlesex County Extension Service	200.00
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Total	\$96,201.61

REPORT OF LINCOLN PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE COMMITTEE

The Board of Selectmen:

This committee wishes, first of all, to express its gratitude for the new car which has been purchased for the nurse's use. It is a source of considerable satisfaction to the Committee that the Town was willing to assume this expense.

With the routine of the nursing service the townspeople are by this time so familiar that it seems unnecessary to describe it again. The only change in the year past is the loss of insurance nursing in Weston. That town now employs a full-time public health nurse who, of course, attends to all the Weston work. No other change is foreseen at this writing. The appropriation requested by the Board of Health includes the amount needed for the ensuing year.

The case summary for 1929 is as follows: District calls, 553, divided into 268 medical, 200 surgical, 31 child welfare, and 54 mother and baby.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH B. FARRAR,
R. D. DONALDSON,
DONALD MACOMBER.

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

The Tree Warden submits to the Town a brief report for the year ending December 31, 1929:

The work of this department has been continued as in former years, removing dead trees, dead limbs and limbs obstructing the highways, and also the cutting of brush and thinning on the roadsides on several of the roads was done this year. This work we find very necessary to the traveler as the roads are narrow.

The scarcity of the Elm Leaf Beetle has been quite noticeable during the past several years; however, the punctured leaves on elm trees in one or two places indicate their presence again. Spraying with arsenate of lead, as soon as there is foliage enough to hold the poison on the trees, is the proper way to control this insect.

The methods used in handling the Gypsy Moth was practically the same as in past years—creosoting the nests on trees along the roadsides and omitting again this year the spraying. However, in some parts of the Town there is a large increase of the Gypsy Moth egg clusters in woodland bordering roads which will have to be sprayed this coming year.

There is very little change in the Brown Tail Moth condition from that of last year.

The total expediture of this department for 1929 is \$1,245.86.

I recommend that \$1,000.00 be appropriated for tree work and \$500.00 for moth work this year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KELLIHER.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The receipts and expenditures for the year 1929 have been as follows:

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance	\$12,504.34	Selectmen's Orders	\$89,324.70
Thomas L. Giles, Collector	69,885.00	Loan Paid Old Colony Corporation	15,000.00
Moth Department	106.92	" " " "	25,000.00
Concord Court	153.80	" " Town of Lincoln, Water Works Sinking Fund	7,000.00
Town Hall	50.00	" " First National Bank	10,000.00
Board of Health, Nurse, Local	251.00	" " " "	10,000.00
" " " Town of Sudbury	410.00	Comm. of Massachusetts, State Tax	3,230.00
" " " Schools	400.00	" " Trust Co. Tax	9.04
" " " Milk Licenses	3.00	" " Repairs on State Highways	412.00
Bank Interest	393.38	" " Snow Removal	50.24
R. D. Donaldson, Rental of J. H. Pierce Land	150.00	County of Middlesex, County Tax	3,675.24
Miscellaneous	25.90	" " Tuberculosis Tax	295.65
Schools, Grammar School Fund	57.52	Balance in Bank, December 31, 1929*	*8,593.32
Comm. of Mass. Tuition of Children	2,280.09		
" " Voc. Ed.	344.66		
" " High School Transportation	2,033.04		
" " City of Boston, Tuition of Children	233.29		
Webster Publishing Co., Overpayment of Bill	14.81		
Highway Department, Comm. of Mass., State Aid	4,000.00		
" " " Chapter 90	1,000.00		
" " County of Middlesex, Chapter 90	1,000.00		
" " Town of Lincoln, State Aid Acct.	300.00		
" " " Chapt. 90 Acct.	360.00		
" " Boston & Maine R.R.	1,340.38		
" " Local Accounts	826.00		
City of Cambridge, Tax, 1929	365.20		
County of Middlesex, Dog Tax	223.69		
Loan, First Nat'l Bank	10,000.00		
" " " "	10,000.00		
" " Old Colony Corporation	25,000.00		
Comm. of Massachusetts, Income Tax, 1928	15,000.00		
" " " 1929	624.70		
" " Corp. Tax, Bus.	9,892.00		
" " " P. S.	91.35		
" " National Bank Tax	547.34		
" " Trust Co. Tax	2,200.85		
" " Director of Standards	496.51		
" " " "	6.00		
" " Veterans Exemption	6.42		
Gasoline Licenses	15.00		
TOTAL	\$172,592.19	TOTAL	\$172,592.19

*Attention is directed to the fact that of the money borrowed during 1929 a loan of \$15,000.00 payable to The Old Colony Corporation is still outstanding.

GEORGE G. TARBELL,

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report:

Number of residents assessed on property	281
“ non-residents assessed on property	103
“ assessed on polls	454
“ assessed on polls only	273
“ acres of land assessed	8,635
“ dwelling-houses assessed	363
“ horses assessed	135
“ cows assessed	372
“ neat cattle other than cows assessed	87
“ swine assessed	2,481
“ sheep assessed	11
“ fowl assessed	3,912
Value of land exclusive of buildings	\$ 805,815.00
Value of buildings exclusive of land	1,736,685.00
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Total value of real estate	\$2,542,500.00
Total value of personal estate	285,627.26
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Total valuation	\$2,828,127.26
State tax	\$3,230.00
State highway tax	412.00
State snow-removal tax	50.24
County tax	3,675.24
County tax for care of tuberculosis patients	275.00
Appropriations at Annual Town Meeting	98,530.00
Overlay	2,478.18
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Total	\$108,650.66

Deductions (Estimated Receipts)

Income tax receipts	\$8,494.00
Corporation tax (estimated)	500.00
Bank tax (estimated)	1,500.00
Concord Court returns (estimated)	500.00
School receipts (estimated)	5,000.00
City of Cambridge tax	365.20
Automobile excise tax (estimated)	5,750.00
Money to be taken from Treasury by vote of Town	22,000.00

Total deductions	\$44,109.20
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Net amount to be raised by taxation	\$64,541.46
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Rate of taxation \$22.50 per \$1,000.00.

The value of motor vehicles assessed under the motor vehicle excise tax law was	\$254,270.00
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Total amount of tax receivable on account of same	6,583.75
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WILLIAM H. SHERMAN,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,
THOMAS J. DEE,

Assessors.

RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Adams, John	1,000	22.50	88,800	1,998.00	22.50
Adams, Mary O.	2,600	58.50	3,000	67.50	2,056.50
A'Hearn, Timothy J.			750	16.89	67.50
Allen, Ella F.			5,000	112.50	16.89
Baker, Asel	150	3.39	2,500	56.25	115.89
Ballou, Clyde D.			2,000	45.00	56.25
Bannon, Edward			1,500	33.75	45.00
Barnes, Thomas			7,200	162.00	33.75
Barthel, Walter	250	5.63	4,000	90.00	167.63
Baskin, William J.	375	8.45	18,500	416.25	98.45
Bateman, Helen V.	2,000	45.00	3,500	78.75	461.25
Bean, Abbie E.	600	13.50	6,000	135.00	92.25
Bean, Anna K.			1,000	22.50	135.00
Bean, Elmer A.			6,000	135.00	22.50
Bent, Edwin S., et al.			8,500	191.25	135.00
Blodgett, Stephen H.			20,000	450.00	191.25
Bowen, Lorenzo W.			4,000	90.00	450.00
Bowles, William	1,460	32.85	1,000	22.50	122.85
Bowles, William S.	100	2.25	11,000	247.50	24.75
Boyce Bros.	5,150	115.89	2,600	58.50	363.39
Boyce, Manley B.					58.50

Boyce, Michael J.			4,500	101.25	101.25
Briggs, Charles V.			12,500	281.25	281.25
Briggs, Jane F.			7,000	157.50	157.50
Brooks, Albert S.	125	2.82	6,000	135.00	137.82
Brooks, Estella M.			3,500	78.75	78.75
Brooks, Sarah W.			1,000	22.50	22.50
Brooks, Sarah W., et al.			4,500	101.25	101.25
Brown, Nettie M.			1,750	39.38	39.38
Browning, Edgar C., Est. of			2,000	45.00	45.00
Browning, George U.	1,200	27.00	6,000	135.00	162.00
Bunker, Abbie E.			4,000	90.00	90.00
Bunker, Louis F.	525	11.81			11.81
Burgess, John A., Est. of			7,650		172.14
Burke, Thomas D.	25	.56	4,500	101.25	101.81
Butcher, Charles R.	675	15.20	2,000	45.00	60.20
Butcher, Henry A.	90	2.03	2,000	45.00	47.03
Butcher, Ralph F.	350	7.88	3,500	78.75	86.63
Calkins, James T.			2,800	63.00	63.00
Calkins, T. Alonzo	1,740	39.15	3,000	67.50	106.65
Calkins, Whittier			250	5.63	5.63
Campbell, Fanny, et al.			9,100	204.75	204.75
Carlson, Benjamin E.			23,000	517.50	517.50
Catoia, Angelo			3,000	67.50	67.50
Chapin, Carrie B.			2,100	47.25	47.25
Chapin, Clara F.			7,000	157.50	157.50
Chapin, Cyrus S.	1,500	33.75			33.75
Chapin, Elizabeth G., et al, Est. of			3,000	67.50	67.50
Causar, William O.			3,000	67.50	67.50

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Chaves, John B.	40	.90	2,500	56.25	57.15
Christiansen, Peter O.			1,000	22.50	22.50
Clapp, Clarence G., Est. of			5,500	123.75	123.75
Coan, Bridget	550	12.38	4,000	90.00	102.38
Coan, John H.	2,350	52.88	5,000	112.50	165.38
Coan, Thomas F.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Coburn, Edward S.	2,225	50.06	5,000	112.50	162.56
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.	3,237.79	72.85			72.85
Codman, Hugh	2,612.79	58.79			58.79
Codman, Thomas N.	2,120.79	47.72			47.72
Codman, Thomas N., Agent	2,359.59	53.09			53.09
Codman, Thomas N., et al, Trustees	140	3.15	75,000	1,687.50	1,690.65
Condit, Harry M., Jr.			10,000	225.00	225.00
Connair, John J.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Connors, Michael J.	225	5.06	1,200	27.00	32.06
Conover, Frank F.	40	.90	750	16.88	17.78
Conway, William J.	725	16.31	2,000	45.00	61.31
Corcoran, Francis J.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Corrigan, John F.			300	6.75	6.75
Corrigan, Martin, Admr.			2,700	60.75	60.75
Corrigan, Patrick F.			2,300	51.75	51.75
Cotoni, Nicholas	625	14.06	1,000	22.50	36.56
Coughlin, Alfred C.			5,000	112.50	112.50

Cousins, Harold S.	300	6.75	10,500	236.25	243.00
Crenner, Georgiana			4,000	90.00	90.00
Cripps, George N. and Laura A.	25	.56	3,400	76.50	77.06
Crook, Russell G.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Crowley, Timothy J.			2,000	45.00	45.00
Cunnert, Fritz	500	11.25	5,500	123.75	135.00
Cunningham, Francis H.	175	3.94	4,000	90.00	93.94
Cunningham, George E.	225	5.06	5,000	112.50	117.56
Cutter, Charles T.			200	4.50	4.50
Davis, Alfred G.			5,000	112.50	112.50
Davis, Alfred M.	2,000	45.00	7,000	157.50	202.50
Davis, Prescott L.	2,550	57.39	9,000	202.50	259.89
Davison, Everett H.			2,500	56.25	56.25
Dean, Harold S.			3,000	67.50	67.50
De Cordova, Julian	12,375	278.44	45,000	1,012.50	1,290.94
Dee, Thomas J.	225	5.06	6,000	135.00	140.06
Delory, Theresa			1,500	33.75	33.75
Delory, William B.			2,500	56.25	56.25
Dempsey, Edward			2,000	45.00	45.00
Denio, F. Winchester			2,500	56.25	56.25
De Normandie, Alice W.			28,000	630.00	630.00
De Normandie, Charles L., Est. of			7,500	168.75	168.75
De Normandie, William J.	1,475	33.19			33.19
De Palma, Nicholas, Est. of			500	11.25	11.25
Diamond, James H.			1,300	29.25	29.25
Doherty, Anthony J.			16,500	371.25	371.25
Doherty and Corrigan	250	5.63	5,400	121.50	127.13
Doherty, Mary E.			2,000	45.00	45.00
Doherty, Matthew H.			3,500	78.75	78.75

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Domenichello, Domenic	265	5.97	3,000	67.50	73.47
Donaldson, Robert D.	3,300	74.25	51,300	1,154.25	1,228.50
Dougherty, Andrew J.	1,890	42.53	3,000	67.50	110.03
Eaton, Winslow A., Est. of			3,000	67.50	67.50
Edgerly, Jonathan F.	275	6.19	29,000	652.50	658.69
Ehlert, Caroline E.	150	3.39			3.39
Ehlert, Ellen			3,500	78.75	78.75
Ellms, Charles W.			6,000	135.00	135.00
Emery, Grace M.			5,000	112.50	112.50
Farquhar, David			6,500	146.25	146.25
Farrar, Edward R.	200	4.50	8,150	183.39	187.39
Farrar, Herbert G.	450	10.14	5,000	112.50	122.50
Farrar, John F.			3,500	78.75	78.75
Ferdinand, Lorin W., Jr.			4,000	90.00	90.00
First Parish			3,500	78.75	78.75
Fleming, Mary			1,000	22.50	22.50
Flint, Edward F.	550	12.39	16,500	371.25	383.64
Flint, Ephraim B.	2,475	55.69	14,000	315.00	370.69
Flynn, Frank J.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Foreman, Charles F.			2,500	56.25	56.25
French, Lindol			4,000	90.00	90.00
Gayer, Clara W.	250	5.63	3,400	76.50	82.13
Giles, Thomas L.			3,350	75.39	75.39

Graf, Edward				500	11.25	11.25
Graves, George A.				7,000	157.50	157.50
Graves, Albert S.				16,000	360.00	360.00
Gustin, Francis E.	325	7.31			7.31	7.31
Hamilton, Celeste C.				3,600	81.00	81.00
Hanlon, Albert W.	1,800	40.50		5,500	123.75	164.25
Harding, William A.				2,500	56.25	56.25
Harrington, William L.	100	2.25			2.25	2.25
Harris, Warwick V.				4,000	90.00	90.00
Hatheway, Louise A.	14,250	320.63		167,000	3,757.00	4,078.13
Haynes, Georgie L.	250	5.63		3,400	76.50	81.13
Herman, Edwards W.	5,650	127.13		20,000	450.00	577.13
Higginson, A. Henry	6,500	146.25				146.25
Higginson, Henry L.	2,800	63.00				63.00
Hill, Dorothy B.				7,000	157.50	157.50
Hinds, Horace S.				8,000	180.00	180.00
Hobbs, E. Stanley, Jr.				3,000	67.50	67.50
Hodges, George C., Est. of				9,000	202.50	202.50
Howard, Elizabeth F.				2,150	48.39	48.39
Hunt, Merrill	780	17.55		12,250	275.63	293.18
Hunter, Euphemia J.	500	11.25		9,000	202.50	213.75
Hunter, Robert R.				5,500	123.75	123.75
Hutton, James				1,300	29.25	29.25
Jennison, Addie E.				2,750	61.89	61.89
Jensen, Niels	650	14.63		5,000	112.50	127.13
Johansen, John				1,500	33.75	33.75
Johnson, John				1,100	24.75	24.75
Johnson, Walter W.				5,500	123.75	123.75

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Kelliher, John J.			3,600	81.00	81.00
Kennedy, Honor			3,100	69.75	69.75
Kidder Bros.			12,700	285.75	285.75
King, Elizabeth L.			2,650	59.63	59.63
Kolyshkin, George			3,500	78.75	78.75
Korford, Harold W.	1,350	30.35	10,000	225.00	255.39
Lahey, James			1,500	33.75	33.75
Laird, Mrs. James T.	250	5.63	3,250	73.13	73.13
Langille, Douglas				5.63	5.63
Lennon, James W.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Lennon, John B.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Lennon, Patrick J.			2,000	45.00	45.00
Loring, Robert G.			8,000	180.00	180.00
Lovejoy, Walter E.			5,000	112.50	112.50
Lunt, Charles	50	1.14	2,500	56.25	57.39
Mac Askill, Daniel			3,200	72.00	72.00
MacDonald, Jennie	50	1.14	5,400	121.50	122.64
MacFarland, Ernest H.			6,000	135.00	135.00
MacHugh, John E.	1,000	22.50	6,000	135.00	157.50
MacKenzie, Elizabeth G.			15,000	337.50	337.50
MacLean, Hector J.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Macomber, Donald	1,250	28.13	32,000	720.00	748.13
Mac Rae, Isaac N., Est. of			4,000	90.00	90.00

Mac Rae, Manning W.				5,000	112.50	112.50
Mann, David W.				4,000	90.00	90.00
Mannarino, Joseph	100	2.25		5,000	112.50	114.75
Marcy, Florence E. G.				16,000	360.00	360.00
Martin, Ellen				3,000	67.50	67.50
Morrissey, Annie	125	2.81		4,500	101.25	104.06
Moynihan, Timothy, Est. of .				3,500	78.75	78.75
Murphy, Jeremiah				5,000	112.50	112.50
Nelson Bros.	1,290	29.03		9,000	202.50	231.53
Neville Bros.	1,000	22.50		4,500	101.25	123.75
Norton, Bridget M. and John H.				6,500	146.25	146.25
O'Brien, James	550	12.38		1,000	22.50	34.88
O'Leary, Delia	200	4.50		6,000	135.00	139.50
Osgood, Emily K.	1,122.30	25.25		40,000	900.00	925.25
Page, Henry R., et al.	480	10.80		15,000	337.50	348.30
Peck, Chester G.	1,450	32.64		23,000	517.50	550.14
Peirce, Harriet T.				3,500	78.75	78.75
Peirce, Isabel T.				1,000	22.50	22.50
Peirce, Alice and Jennie				4,000	90.00	90.00
Peterson, Andrew				1,100	24.75	24.75
Pierce, Lucy B.				18,000	405.00	405.00
Pierce, John, Est., Robert Pierce, Agent				25,500	573.75	573.75
Pollard, Anne D.	4,050	91.14		33,750	759.38	850.52
Poor, Jane and Marion Fitch	40	.90		10,500	236.25	237.15
Porter, Walter J.				10,600	238.50	238.50
Presby, Esther L.				7,000	157.50	157.50
Primak, John				9,900	222.75	237.94
Quinby, Sarah P.	675	15.19		3,500	78.75	78.75

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Rasmussen, Robert F.			2,500	56.25	56.25
Reiss, John M.			1,350	13.50	13.50
Rice, Edwin B.	175	3.94	3,500	78.75	82.69
Rice, Ruth			2,750	61.88	61.88
Rice, Warren A.	280	6.30	2,900	65.25	71.55
Richardson, Elizabeth A.			5,700	128.25	128.25
Riley, Ellen, Est. of			6,000	135.00	135.00
Robus, Tamzin K.			2,500	56.25	56.25
Roche, Bridget			6,000	135.00	135.00
Rogers, John H.			6,500	146.25	146.25
Rollins, Mrs. Charles L.			800	18.00	18.00
Rollins, Elmer A.	1,000	22.50			22.50
Rooney, John W.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Russ, Bertha G.			500	11.25	11.25
Ryan, Mary J.			2,500	56.25	56.25
Ryan, Mary A.	200	4.50			4.50
Ryan, Statia			2,500	56.25	56.25
Ryan, William H.			2,500	56.25	56.25
Sargent, Charles O.	475	10.69	5,200	117.00	127.69
Scripture, Bertha	100	2.25			2.25
Scripture, Mary J.	100	2.25			2.25
Seegar, Frederick M.					
Shaw, Jeremiah A.			7,000	157.50	157.50
			8,000	180.00	180.00

Shea, Cornelius T.	7,450	167.64	7,000	157.50	325.14
Shepard, Richard A.			3,500	78.75	78.75
Sherman, Carrie A.			2,300	51.75	51.75
Sherman, Daniel E.	1,700	38.25	15,750	354.38	392.63
Sherman, Roger			5,500	123.75	123.75
Sherman, Susan R.			3,500	78.75	78.75
Sherman, Warren A.	300	6.75	2,500	56.25	63.00
Sherman, William H.			5,000	112.50	112.50
Silva, Manuel	15,700	352.25	10,000	225.00	578.25
Sims, Mildred A., Admx.			1,600	36.00	36.00
Smith, Sumner	3,750	84.38	4,000	90.00	174.38
Smith, Charles S., Est. of			63,550	1,429.88	1,429.88
Snelling, Dorothy C.			4,000	90.00	90.00
Snelling, Caroline			4,500	101.25	101.25
Sorenson, Harry C.			4,000	90.00	90.00
Sorenson, J. Oscar			4,000	90.00	90.00
Sousa, Joseph G.	300	6.75	5,200	117.00	123.75
Spencer, Arthur H.	1,025	23.06	19,000	427.50	450.56
Stone, Edward M.			300	6.75	6.75
Storey, Moorfield	2,300	51.75	27,500	618.75	670.50
Tarbell, George G.	680	15.30	300	6.75	22.05
Tarbell, George G., Trustee			22,000	495.00	495.00
Tarbell, George G., Trustee					
Estate of Ann Weston			3,800	85.50	85.50
Tasker, Jennie K.			4,000	90.00	90.00
Todd, C. Lee			25,000	562.50	562.50
Tyler, Fred			2,700	60.75	60.75
Tyler, Fred and James, Admrs.					
Estate of Watson Tyler			2,700	60.75	60.75

Name of Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Vantwuyver, Nicholas, et al.			5,000	112.50	112.50
Warner, Henrietta	512	11.52			11.52
Warner, Henry E.			16,000	360.00	360.00
Washburn, Mary J.			2,700	60.75	60.75
Watson, Samuel J.			1,500	33.75	33.75
Watson, William E.			3,000	67.50	67.50
Welch, Helen F., Est. of			1,000	22.50	22.50
Welch, Martin M., Est. of			2,500	56.25	56.25
Westman, Charles L.			7,000	157.50	157.50
Weston, Georgiana H.			5,000	112.50	112.50
Wheeler, Earl R.	100	2.25	3,500	78.75	81.00
Wheeler, Charlotte, et al.			7,000	157.50	157.50
Wheeler, Charles S., Est. of			12,000	270.00	270.00
Wheeler, C. Edgar	470	10.58	3,500	78.75	89.33
Wheeler, George R.	175	3.94			3.94
Wheeler, Hermon T.	50	1.14	5,000	112.50	113.64
White, Jennie S.			6,000	135.00	135.00
Wilkins, John H.			7,000	157.50	157.50
Wilson, John	1,850	41.63	4,000	90.00	131.63
Winchell, Guilbert	600	13.50	30,000	675.00	688.50
Woodward, Arthur			3,000	67.50	67.50
Woodworth, Lewis W.			3,500	78.75	78.75
Woodhull, Charles E.	370	8.33	7,000	157.50	165.83

NON-RESIDENT TAX PAYERS

Name of Non-Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Ames, Mrs. J. B., Cambridge.....			750	16.89	16.89
Albano Bros., Concord.....			250	5.63	5.63
Anderson, Esther A., Concord.....			4,000	90.00	90.00
Baker, Walter F., Weston.....			200	4.50	4.50
Beacon Oil Co., Everett.....			1,300	29.25	29.25
Bentley, William O., Newton.....			4,000	90.00	90.00
Bills, Sarah, Sudbury.....			1,700	38.25	38.25
Blodgett, Edwin S., Miami, Fla.....			4,000	90.00	90.00
Bova-Conti, Bartholomeo.....			9,150	205.88	205.88
Brooks, Mary A., Concord.....			1,000	22.50	22.50
Broughall, Margaret, Lexington.....			50	1.14	1.14
Brown, Harry A., Wayland.....			100	2.25	2.25
Brown, Arthur L., Winchendon.....			3,000	67.50	67.50
Buttrick, Mary B., Concord.....			2,000	45.00	45.00
Cadario, John A., Boston.....			1,500	33.75	33.75
Carroll, Henrietta S.....			100	2.25	2.25
Cheney, George, Weston.....			200	4.50	4.50
Clark, George A., Waltham.....			1,000	22.50	22.50
Connors, John N., Lexington.....			3,500	78.75	284.64
Coppinger, Rev. Joseph, So. Boston.....		205.89	11,000	247.50	247.50
Collins, Mary E.....	9,150		500	11.25	11.25

Name of Non-Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
Cousins, Fred E., Littleton			4,500	101.25	101.25
Cousins, Willis N., E. Littleton			1,600	36.00	36.00
Curley, Annie, Boston			500	11.25	11.25
Danner, John, California			600	13.50	13.50
Dean, Louis W., Waltham			8,000	180.00	405.00
De Normandie, Est. of Jas. W., Boston	10,000	225.00	8,000	180.00	180.00
Dizer, Samuel K., Waltham			150	3.39	3.39
Doane, Clarence S., Malden			2,000	45.00	45.00
Domings & Linhares, Somerville	3,325	74.81	6,200	139.50	214.31
Donaldson, Robert D., Jr., Detroit			6,500	146.25	146.25
Doherty, William E., Boston			700	15.75	15.75
Doyle, Daniel, Weston			1,000	22.50	22.50
Dunbar, William H. and Blakelee Hoar, Boston			500	11.25	11.25
Eaton, Frederick W., Concord			600	13.50	13.50
Edison El. Ill. Co., Boston	45,000	1,012.50			1,012.50
Erickson, George E., et al, Waltham			500	11.25	11.25
Fernald, Alvin E.	250	5.63	2,900	65.25	70.88
Fitchburg R. R. Co.			900	20.25	20.25
Gately, Annie E., Boston			20,000	450.00	450.00
Giles, Thomas T., Sudbury			1,000	22.50	22.50
Glover, Sarah J., Wayland			2,500	56.25	56.25
Gilmore, Arthur J.			6,000	135.00	135.00

Name of Non-Resident	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate	Total Cash Tax on Personal and Real Estate
O'Brien, Marjorie C., Boston.....			1,000	22.50	22.50
Paine, Horace G., Concord.....			200	4.50	4.50
Parry, Charlotte E., Waltham.....			6,000	135.00	135.00
Pike, Richard, Vermont.....			6,000	135.00	135.00
Pope, Amelia V., Missouri.....			11,000	247.50	247.50
Pollard, Frederick H., Florida.....			7,000	157.50	157.50
Quigley, William, Boston.....			300	6.75	6.75
Reynolds, Frank, Lexington.....			50	1.14	1.14
Richardson, Howard C., Weston.....			200	4.50	4.50
Ross, Ethel, Boston.....			100	2.25	2.25
Rockwood, John, Waltham.....			400	9.00	9.00
Rogers, Edward H., Cambridge.....			16,000	360.00	360.00
Root, Frank K., Chicago.....	1,250	28.13	600	13.50	13.50
Ryder's Stock Farm Inc., Lexington...			1,000	22.50	22.50
Seeckts, Albert, Charlestown.....			2,500	56.25	56.25
Shaw, Nellie K., Woburn.....			150	3.38	3.38
Sherman, Herbert A., Weston.....			150	3.38	3.38
Sherwin, Edward V., Concord.....			1,500	33.75	33.75
Smith, Howard R., Portsmouth, N. H.			200	4.50	4.50
Snelling, Marian L., Wayland.....			500	11.25	11.25
Sorensen, Hans, Lexington.....			2,000	45.00	45.00
Stewart, Frank, Waltham.....			150	3.38	3.38
Storrow, Helen O., Boston.....	39,500	888.75	151,500	3,408.75	4,297.50

Stuart, Edward T., et al.....				200	4.50	4.50
Sylvester, Richard, Billerica.....				300	6.75	6.75
Walker, A. Bruce, Milwaukee.....				250	5.63	5.63
Western Union Tel. Co.....						65.72
Wilkshire, Alice E., Cambridge.....		2,921	65.72	100	2.25	2.25
Wilson, Emma A. and Marion, Weston				8,000	180.00	180.00
Williams, Hubert J., Boston.....				10,000	225.00	225.00
Worcester, Alice, et al.....				2,000	45.00	45.00
Cambridge, City of				16,231	365.20	365.20

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Board of Selectmen:

I have examined fifty-six barns, and find 422 cows, 116 young cattle, 21 bulls, and 11 sheep, and with two exceptions find them in excellent condition. In these two cases I left suggestions and recommendations which I have reason to believe will be complied with.

In 17 piggeries, I find 6,775 swine, an increase of 1,793 over last year. Three of the largest piggeries are owned by out-of-town people, but as long as they are kept in as good condition as I found them, I will have no criticism to make.

The dog question is a serious one, not so much with us as with other towns and cities. I will quote here a part of a communication I received from the Division of Animal Industry:

"There were 2,498 persons bitten by dogs in 1928, and about 3,500 in 1929. There were 616 cases of rabies in 1929. In 1928 there were 240 persons reported as having been bitten by rabid dogs, who felt it necessary to take the Pasteur treatment at a probable cost of \$15,000. The service we render here at the State House costs the State in the vicinity of \$2,000 a year."

I think it very important that all dogs not licensed according to law should be destroyed.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. FARRAR,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

In their report of last year the Commissioners recommended for 1929 the usual appropriation of \$500.00 for general care of the cemeteries and an additional \$500.00 for surveying and other work in the new two-acre section of the New Cemetery purchased from the Charles Wheeler estate in February, 1927; for the extension of the water pipe line in the New Cemetery; and for new doors and masonry work on one of the tombs in the cemetery near the Town Hall. As this extra \$500.00 was not made available, the only work done outside of the general care of the cemeteries has been the building of 175 feet additional of stone wall on the southerly side of the two-acre section purchased in 1927 from the Wheeler estate and referred to above.

The Commissioners this year renew their recommendation that the inconveniently located and unsightly stand-pipe at the entrance of the New Cemetery be removed and that the water pipe line be extended to a point near the William Sherman lot. This change would make possible the use of water on a number of lots which receive perpetual care and would better meet the needs of the caretakers.

Before any planting or other permanent improvement can be made in the new two-acre section in the New Cemetery the plot should be surveyed and the roads and lot lines carefully laid out. This work should be completed early in the spring of 1930 so that a start can be made on the planting of trees and shrubs before summer.

In the cemetery near the Town Hall two vaults require new doors and masonry work.

For 1930, the Commissioners therefore recommend the usual appropriation of \$500.00 for general care and, in addition, \$500.00 for the improvements and extra work outlined above.

EDWARD F. FLINT,
FRITZ CUNNERT,
H. P. WHITNEY,

Cemetery Commissioners.

THE TOWN TREASURER

In Account With

THE LINCOLN CEMETERY COMMISSION

1929

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance on hand.....	\$557.17
		Dividends, American Sugar pfd.....	28.00
		" Union Pacific pfd.....	12.00
		" Boston & Maine "A".....	53.00
		Interest on Balance	37.01
		Lot 456	20.00
		Lot 463	20.00
		Lot 291	50.00
		Lots 445 and 446.....	40.00
		Lot 464	20.00
		Care of Lot, A. J. Scott.....	2.00
		Estate of Elizabeth G. Chapin.....	300.00
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			\$1,139.18
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1929

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May	15	Middlesex Institution for Savings, Elizabeth G. Chapin Fund	\$300.00
Dec.	31	Balance	839.18
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			\$1,139.18
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The following is a list of securities held by the Town Treasurer:

Four shares American Sugar Refining Co. preferred.
 Three shares Union Pacific R. R. Co. preferred.
 Two shares Boston & Maine R. R. Co. preferred "A."

Also the following funds for the care of lots in cemetery, all of which are deposited in the Middlesex Institution of Savings, Concord, Mass.

General Fund, \$253.47.

Orilla J. Flint Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$48.77.

Samuel Hartwell Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$48.77.

Annie A. Ray Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$48.77.

John H. Pierce Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$81.41.

Maria L. Thompson Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$81.41.

George F. Harrington Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$16.15.

Francis Flint Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$43.39.

William W. Benjamin Fund, \$500 plus accumulated interest of \$84.06.

Abijah G. Jones Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$52.66.

Ellen F. Whitney Fund, \$100 plus accumulated interest of \$21.20.

E. H. Rogers Fund, \$250 plus accumulated interest of \$43.84.

Ellen T. Trask Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$34.04.

Thomas Huddleston Fund, \$200 plus accumulated interest of \$34.99.

Joa Pacewicz Fund, \$400 plus accumulated interest of \$65.06.

Mary S. Rice Fund, \$87.27 plus accumulated interest of \$17.81.

Julia A. Bemis Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$50.23.

Donald Gordon Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$51.82.

Elizabeth G. Chapin Fund, \$300 plus accumulated interest of \$7.50.

GEORGE G. TARBELL, *Treasurer.*

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND TRUSTEES

In Account With

THE BEMIS LECTURE FUND

1929

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$3,425.52
		Dividends, Pennsylvania R. R. Co.....	232.50
		Dividends, Boston & Providence R. R. Co.....	85.00
		Dividends, Old Colony Railroad Co.....	70.00
		Dividends, Boston & Albany R. R. Co.....	140.00
		Dividends, American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	675.00
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 1st pfd.....	40.00
		Dividends, Great Northern Ry. Co. pfd.....	125.00
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s	50.00
		Coupons, Southern Railway Co. 4s.....	120.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.....	50.00
		Coupons, American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 4s	80.00
		Interest on Deposit.....	106.90
		75 Rts., Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	398.75
		60 Rts., Pennsylvania R. R. Co.....	27.60
		Due, \$2,000 Am. Tel. & Tel. 4s.....	2,000.00
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			\$7,626.27
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1929

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Jan.	25	Frank Spaigho	\$225.00
Feb.	8	P. A. Carter, Postals, Etc.....	9.50
		Bennett J. Doty.....	175.00
Mch.	2	Bronson De Con.....	100.00
	12	P. A. Carter, Postals, Etc.....	9.50
July	4	Waltham Watch Co. Band.....	241.50
Oct.	26	P. A. Carter, Postals, Etc.....	4.50
Nov.	8	H. W. Gleason.....	65.00
	16	Hopi Indians	150.00

Dec.	1	F. W. Denio, Postals, Etc.....	4.75
	31	Balance	6,641.52
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			<u>\$7,626.27</u>

The Fund is invested as follows:

60 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co.
 10 " Boston & Providence R. R. Co.
 16 " Boston & Albany R. R. Co.
 10 " Old Colony R. R. Co.
 5 " Boston Elevated Railway Co. first preferred.
 75 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
 25 " Great Northern Railway Co. preferred.
 20 " New York Railways Corp. Stock Trust preferred.
 \$1,000 New York Railways Co. 6% Income Bond of 1965.
 \$3,000 Southern Railway Co. 4s of 1956.
 \$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 5s of 1946.
 \$1,000 U. S. Rubber Co. 5s of 1947.

(Signed) C. LEE TODD,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING AND TRUST FUNDS

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

1929

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$4,924.28
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1932.....	105.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 3½s due 1934.....	175.00
	Coupons, Town of Lincoln 4s due 1936.....	560.00
	Coupons, U. S. Liberty 4¼s due 1938.....	425.00
	Interest, Water Work \$4,000 note to Sept. 1, 1929	140.00
	Interest on Deposit.....	331.67
	Cash, Treasurer of Lincoln a/c Note due Sept. 1, 1929	4,000.00
	Cash, Treasurer of Lincoln a/c Sinking Fund.....	7,000.00
	Cash, Treasurer of Lincoln a/c \$7,000 Loan due Oct. 20, 1929.....	7,000.00
	Interest due Oct. 20, 1929, Loan.....	332.50
		<u>\$17,993.45</u>

1929

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Dec. 31	Balance	<u>\$17,993.45</u>
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- \$14,000 Town of Lincoln 4s, due September, 1936.
- \$3,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due September, 1932.
- \$10,000 U. S. Liberty 4¼s of 1938.
- \$5,000 Town of Lincoln 3½s, due November, 1934.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account With*GEORGE G. TARBELL LEGACY
TO THE LINCOLN LIBRARY

1929

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance principal a/c.....	\$522.72
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
		Dividends, American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	36.00
		Dividends, Boston Elev. Ry. Co. 1st pfd.....	56.00
		Coupon, West Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s.....	25.00
		Dividends, 8 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.....	34.00
		Interest	34.85
		Rights, Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	23.70
		Rights, Am. Tel. & Tel. Co., 1928.....	56.38
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			\$792.15
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Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$189.35
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	602.80
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			\$792.15
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The Fund is invested as follows:

- 7 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company first preferred.
- 8 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.
- 4 shares American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
- 1/2 share Boston Elevated Railway Co. second preferred.
- \$500 Western Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s of 1932.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account With*GEORGE RUSSELL LEGACY
TO THE LINCOLN LIBRARY

1929

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$329.07
		Interest	16.96
		Dividend, N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.....	8.50
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			\$354.53
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1929

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Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$25.46
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	329.07
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			\$354.53
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The Fund is invested as follows:

2 shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.*Commissioners.*

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account With*JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY
TO THE LINCOLN LIBRARY

1929

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$18.33
		Coupons, American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s.....	50.00
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	3.50
		Interest	1.17
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			\$73.00
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1929

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Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$54.67
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	18.33
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			\$73.00
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The Fund is invested as follows:

½ share Boston Elevated Railway Company 2nd preferred.
\$1,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

*In Account With*JULIA A. BEMIS FUND
FOR BENEFIT OF LINCOLN LIBRARY

1929		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$35.34
		Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	7.00
		Coupons, U. S. Rubber Company 5s.....	50.00
		Interest	4.24
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			\$96.58
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Dec.	31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$61.24
		Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	35.34
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			\$96.58
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The Fund is invested as follows:

1 share Boston Elevated Railway Company 2nd preferred.
\$1,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR LINCOLN LIBRARY

1929

Dr.

Jan. 1	Balance	\$29.37
	Dividends, Boston Elevated Ry. Co. 2nd pfd.....	21.00
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s.....	100.00
	Interest	4.77
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		\$155.14
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1929

Cr.

Dec. 31	Cash, J. F. Farrar, Treas., Lincoln Library.....	\$125.77
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	29.37
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		\$155.14
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The Fund is invested as follows:

3 shares Boston Elevated Railway Company 2nd preferred.
\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, due 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR SILENT POOR

1929	<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan. 1	Balance	\$1,527.02
	Coupons, U. S. Rubber Co. 5s, due 1947.....	100.00
	Interest	78.63
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		\$1,705.65
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1929	<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec. 31	Paid on Selectmen's orders.....	\$118.23
	Balance on Deposit, Income Account.....	1,426.26
	Balance on Deposit, Principal Account.....	161.16
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		\$1,705.65
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The Fund is invested as follows:

\$2,000 United States Rubber 5s, 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR TOWN HEARSE

1929

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance	\$668.37
		Dividend, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.....	58.13
		Interest	35.19
		Rights, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.....	6.89
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			\$768.58
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1929

Cr.

Dec.	31	Balance on Deposit.....	\$768.58
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The Fund is invested as follows:

15 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

1929		<i>Dr.</i>	
Jan.	1	Balance	\$2,103.48
		Interest	184.41
		Coupon, American Tel. & Tel. 4s.....	120.00
		Due, \$3,000 Am. Tel & Tel. Co. 4s, 1929.....	3,000.00
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			\$5,407.89
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1929		<i>Cr.</i>	
Dec.	3	Balance principal a/c.....	\$5,004.75
		Balance income a/c.....	158.28
July	4	Fireworks	244.86
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			\$5,407.89
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY TO THE TOWN

1929

Dr.

Jan.	1	Balance on hand.....	\$5,138.54
	22	Trustees of John H. Pierce.....	750.00
Apr.	24	Trustees of John H. Pierce.....	750.00
July	25	Trustees of John H. Pierce.....	750.00
Nov.	9	Trustees of John H. Pierce.....	750.00
		Bank interest	135.57

\$8,274.11

1929

Cr.

Dec.	31	Balance on hand.....	\$8,274.11
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,
 F. WINCHESTER DENIO,
 CONRAD P. HATHEWAY.

Commissioners.

TRUST FUND COMMISSIONERS

In Account With

CHARLES S. SMITH LEGACY TO THE TOWN

1929

Dr.

Sept.	6	Sumner Smith, Executor, Legacy.....	\$50,000.00
		“ “ “ Int. on Legacy	2,000.00
Nov.	9	Bank Interest	88.30
Dec.	2	“ “	85.60
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1929

Cr.

Dec.	31	Balance on Hand.....	\$52,173.90
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Respectfully submitted,

C. LEE TODD,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO,

CONRAD P. HATHEWAY,

Commissioners.

Report of Treasurer of Lincoln Library for Year Ending December 31, 1929

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Balance on hand, January 1, 1929.....	\$716.96	Water	\$10.00
Received from sale of books.....	4.00	Light	47.97
Received from fines	40.25	Telephone	32.44
Income from Liberty Bonds.....	8.50	Clerical Work	10.00
Income from Codman Fund.....	43.75	Sundries	9.15
Income from Trust Funds	456.49	Supplies	25.17
George G. Tarbell Legacy.....	\$189.35	Binding Books	27.14
George Russell Legacy	25.46	Repairs	170.01
John H. Pierce Legacy	54.67	Fuel	206.25
Julia A. Bemis Legacy	61.24	Magazines	83.60
Abbie J. Stearns Legacy	125.77	Books	362.62
Dog Tax Return		Recataloguing	300.00
Town Appropriation	223.69	Income of Pierce Fund, to Librarian.....	54.67
	500.00	Librarian's Salary	500.00
		Total Expenditures	\$1,839.02
		Balance, January 1, 1930.....	154.62
			<u>\$1,993.64</u>

The Codman Trust is invested in five shares of Boston and Albany stock. The Trustees also hold Liberty 4½'s to the amount of \$200. The securities are in the custody of the Town Treasurer.

JOHN F. FARRAR,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Your Trustees submit on the following pages the reports of the Treasurer and of the Librarian for the year ending December 31, 1929.

During the past year the fiction has been recatalogued and regrouped. Many obsolete and useless books have been withdrawn from the shelves. This recataloging will make it very much easier for both the Librarian and readers to find books, and will give the Library a modern system which can be expanded indefinitely.

The Trustees ask for an appropriation of \$800.00 for the year ensuing.

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY
JOHN F. FARRAR
C. LEE TODD
GEORGE G. TARBELL

LINCOLN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Annual Report of the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1929

Library open Wednesday and Saturday from 3 to 9 P. M.
except legal holidays.

Number of volumes at beginning of year	11,895
Number of volumes added by purchase	136
Number of volumes added by gift	2
Number of volumes withdrawn during year	949
Number of volumes at the end of the year	11,085
Number of volumes of fiction lent for home use	3,469
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent for home use	812
Number of volumes of children's books lent for home use	1,357
Number of magazines lent for home use	666
Total number of volumes lent for home use	6,304
Largest number of volumes lent in one day	102
Smallest number of volumes lent in one day	23
Number of days Library was open	103

Accessions to the Library for 1929

FICTION

- Alain, Fournier**—The wanderer.
Ammers, Küller J. Van—Rebel generation.
Bailey, Temple—Burning beauty.
Bailey, Temple—Silver slippers.
Barrington, E.—Empress of hearts.
Bennett, C. M.—A buccaneer's log.
Best English detective stories of 1928—
 Edited by Knox, Father Ronald and Harrington, H.
Biggers, Earl Derr—The black camel.
Bottoms, Phyllis—Windlestraws.
Boyer, Johan—The new temple.
Brown, Katharine H.—The father.
Buchan, John—Midwinter.
Buchan, John—Prester John.
Chapman, Mariston—Happy mountain.
Chesterton, G. K.—The poet and the lunatics.
Christie, Agatha—Seven Dial's mystery.
Daviot, Gordon—Kif.
Davis, William Stearns—The whirlwind.
Diver, Maud—The wild bird.
Edmonds, W. D.—Rome Haul.
Farnol, Jeffrey—Another day.
Freeman, H. W.—Joseph and his brethren.
Galsworthy, John—Man of property.
Galsworthy, John—The white monkey.
Gibbs, A. Hamilton—Harness.
Gollomb, Joseph—Spies.
Gregory, Jackson—Mystery at Spanish hacienda.
Grey, Zane—Fighting caravans.
Heyward, Du Bose—Mamba's daughters.
Hough, Emerson—North of 36.
Hudson, J. W.—Abbé Pierre's people.
Jeffries, Richard—Wood magic.
Kaye-Smith, Sheila—The village doctor.
Kyne, Peter B.—Tide of empire.

- La Farge, Oliver—Laughing boy.
 Lewisohn, Ludwig—The island within.
 Lincoln, J. C.—Silas Bradford's boy.
 Lincoln, J. C. and Freeman—Blair's attic.
 Locke, W. J.—Joshua's vision.
 Miln, L. J.—Flutes of Shanghai.
 Mundy, Talbot—Cock o' the north.
 Norris, Kathleen—The foolish virgin.
 O'Henry Memorial Award—Prize stories of 1928.
 Oppenheim, E. Phillips—Nicholas Goade, detective.
 Oppenheim, E. Phillips—Treasure house of Martin Hews.
 Rea, Lorna—Six Mrs. Greenes.
 Remarque, Erich Maria—All quiet on the western front.
 Rice, Alice Hegan—The buffer.
 Rölvaag, A. E.—Peder victorious.
 Sabatini, Rafael—Hounds of God.
 Sabatini, Rafael—The romantic prince.
 Scott, Evelyn—The wave.
 Sedgwick, Anne Douglass—Dark Hester.
 Sidgwick, Ethel—When I grow rich
 Thane, Elswyth—Cloth of gold.
 Undset, Sigrid—Kristin Lavransdatter
 Van Dine, S. S.—The Bishop murder case.
 Voynich, E. L.—The gadfly.
 Wallace, Edgar—The double.
 Walpole, Hugh—Hans Frost.
 Walpole, Hugh and Priestley, J. B.—Farthing Hall.
 Walsh, Maurice—The small dark man.
 Warner, Sylvia T.—The true heart.
 Wast, Hugo—Stone desert.
 Webb, Mary—The golden arrow.
 Webb, Mary—House in Dormer forest.
 Webb, Mary—Precious bane.
 Wells, H. G.—Short stories.
 Williams, Ben Ames—Death on Scurvy Street.
 Williams, Valentine—The crouching beast.
 Williamson, Henry—The pathway.
 Willoughby, Barrett—The trail eater.
 Wren, P. C.—Good Gestes.
 Young, E. H.—The vicar's daughter.
 Young, Francis Brett—The dark tower.
 Zweig, Arnold—Case of Sergeant Grischa.

JUVENILE BOOKS

Birney, Hoffman —Steeldust.....	835.40
Capanna, Luigi —Nimble legs.....	C.S. .46
Douglass, R. D., Jr., Martin, D. R., Jr., Oliver, Douglass — Three boy scouts in Africa.....	835.35
France, Anatole —Honey bee.....	C.S. .47
Inman, E. Escott —Wulnoth the wanderer.....	835.38
Lofting, Hugh —Dr. Dolittle in the moon.....	816.37
Marsh, George —Flash, the lead dog.....	835.36
McNeil, Everett —Tonty of the iron hand.....	835.39
Meigs, Cornelia —Clearing weather.....	943.16
Milne, A. A. —The house at Pooh Corner.....	C.S. .44
Moulton, Nathalie F. —Buddie and Blossom.....	C.S. .51
Mukerji, Dhau Gopal —Ghond the hunter.....	C.S. .48
Mukerji, Dhau Gopal —Hindu fables.....	C.S. .52
New, Ilhan —When I was a boy in Korea.....	C.S. .45
Nicol, Nina —Rusty Pete.....	C.S. .50
Patch, Edith M. —Holiday Pond.....	C.S. .49
Perkins, Lucy Fitch —The farm twins.....	1246.36
Santee, Ross —Cowboy.....	1225.26
Wallace, Archie —Stories of grit.....	835.37

BIOGRAPHY

Andrews, M. M. —Memoirs of a poor relation.....	637.21
Belloc, Hillaire —Richelieu.....	522.16
Brown, Rollo W. —Lonely Americans.....	647.19
Browne, Lewis —Stranger than fiction.....	648.3
Coolidge, Calvin —Autobiography of.....	522.15
Eadie, Thomas —I like diving.....	648.1
French, Mrs. Daniel Chester —Memories of a sculptor's wife.....	622.18
Garland, Hamlin —Back trailers from the middle border....	647.15
Graham, Evelyn —Albert, King of the Belgians.....	522.17
Hardy, Florence E. —Early life of Thomas Hardy.....	647.16
Mackenzie, Catherine —Alexander Graham Bell.....	647.17
McFee, William —Life of Sir Martin Frobisher.....	622.17
Murphy, Chas. J. V. —Struggle, life and exploits of Commander R. E. Byrd.....	647.14
Rose, Hilda —The stump farm.....	647.20
Siebert, Margarete K. —Mary, Queen of Scots.....	648.2
Skinner, Henrietta D. —An echo from Parnassus.....	647.18
Strachey, Lytton —Elizabeth and Essex.....	617.27

ARTS AND SCIENCE

Barrie, James M. —Plays.....	1427.15
Monroe, H. and Henderson, A. C. , edited by—Anthology of new poetry.....	1435.26
Sheridan, Richard Brinsley —Dramatic works.....	1427.16

RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY

Beard, Charles M. , edited by—Whither mankind.....	1134.20
Browne, Lewis —The graphic Bible.....	Ref. R.R.

HISTORY

Eskew, G. L. —Pageant of the packets.....	316.15
House, Colonel , Intimate papers of—Arranged by Seymour, Chas.	351.15
Willoughby, Malcolm F. —Lighthouses of New England....	364.6

TRAVEL

Anderson, Isabel —Circling South America.....	438.17
Beebe, William —Beneath tropic seas.....	436.33
Brooks, Charles S. —Roads to the north.....	438.12
Grenfell, Sir Wilfred T. —Labrador looks at the Orient.....	438.14
Ludwig, Emil —On Mediterranean shores.....	438.15
Ossendowski, Ferdinand —Slaves of the sun.....	426.32
Roosevelt, Theodore and Kermit —Trailing the giant panda	437.23
Turner, Herbert B. —Picturesque old France.....	438.18
Wilkins, Capt. Sir G. H. —Undiscovered Australia.....	438.16
Wright, Eugene —The great horn spoon.....	438.13

MISCELLANEOUS

Adler, Alfred —Understanding human nature.....	1318.12
Andrews, M. M. —My studio window.....	1531.27
Bercovici, Konrad —Story of the gypsies.....	1318.11
Chesterton, George K. —Tremendous trifles.....	1315.23
Shaw, Bernard —The intelligent woman's guide to socialism and capitalism.....	1318.13

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF LINCOLN
FOR THE
SCHOOL YEAR 1929



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. DOHERTY, *Chairman*, Term expires 1931
 EDITH B. FARRAR (Mrs.), *Secretary*, Term expires 1930
 HARRY M. CONDIT, JR. Term expires 1932

Superintendent of Schools

HAROLD R. FRENCH
 CARL F. HOLLORAN

Teachers

Junior High School—Grades VII—VIII—IX

MARION D. PARKER
 FLORENCE E. WHEELER (after Sept. 4, 1929)
 MURIEL E. SWASEY
 BARBARA PRICE (after Sept. 4, 1929)
 HELEN M. SMILEY

Grade VI

ISABELLE McBREEN

Grade V

MARY P. LENNON
 ETHEL J. BOYCE (after Sept. 4, 1929)

Grade IV

THELMA E. GODDARD

Grade III

FLORENCE JACKSON

Grade II

THELMA SANDERSON

Grade I

JOSEPHINE C. DOHERTY (Mrs.)

Manual Training

E. W. BURCKES

School Physician

DR. HENRY A. WOOD

Attendance Officer

JOHN J. KELLEHER

School Nurse

DOROTHY C. SNELLING (Mrs.)

Janitor

EDWARD GRAF

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Mid-Winter Term, begins Monday, January 6, 1930, ends Friday, February 21, 1930; seven weeks.

Winter Term, begins Monday, March 3, 1930, ends Friday, April 18, 1930; seven weeks.

Spring Term, begins Monday, April 28, 1930, ends Wednesday, June 18, 1930; eight weeks.

Fall Term, begins Monday, September 8, 1930, ends Tuesday, December 23, 1930; sixteen weeks.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The present year brought several changes in matters concerning the schools. Mr. Robinson, after six years of service as Superintendent and Principal, tendered his resignation, to accept a position in the Hingham Schools, a move considered by him as an advancement. His position was filled for the balance of the school year by Mr. Harold French of Bristol, Connecticut, who desired the position for the balance of the school year only, owing to the fact that he was on leave of absence from his school in Bristol, of which school he was permanent principal. The Committee naturally had the task of electing a man to fill this position permanently and from a number of applicants, Mr. Carl F. Holloran of the Newton School System was elected. Mr. Holloran brings to the Lincoln Schools certain experience that should be very helpful. His experience as an Administrator and also a teacher who has had several years of teaching in one of the State Normal Schools should help greatly in solving problems affecting our schools.

Again, we were confronted with the wholesale tendering of resignations. Several teachers resigned during the year, some to be married and others to accept positions elsewhere. These changes, you will understand, affect greatly the teaching staff, as four out of the nine teachers tendered their resignations. Many of the new teachers engaged had several years of experience, and we are hopeful that the progress of the schools has not been impeded to any great extent by the changes. While frequent changes are not looked upon with favor by the Committee, yet, such matters are not always within their control and are generally expected in towns located as is Lincoln. While the sala-

ries paid in Lincoln are considered about equal to those paid by other towns of like size, yet, your committee knows from experience that the teaching profession is no different from any other business and that good services demand equally good remuneration. Although we are informed that there is at the present time an oversupply of teachers, yet, good teachers are always in demand and always open to offers of better positions in larger communities and quite naturally accept such a position when they deem it to their advantage. A policy of retaining teachers, whose work is satisfactory, naturally appeals to your committee and is considered by them as much more beneficial to the schools than is continued change of teachers from year to year.

Transportation

Local transportation has continued about the same as last year with the exception of the change in the schedule of Mr. Dee's bus. Some difficulty was met at the opening of the schools in Waltham in September. The crowded condition of the Waltham High School necessitated the putting into effect of a two-session plan. Pupils dismissed from the morning session found themselves obliged to wait from 12.45 until 2.30 for a bus for Lincoln. When the proprietorship of the Waltham and Lincoln Bus line was changed the new management very graciously changed the leaving time of the 12.30 trip to 1 P. M., thus solving this problem. Both the parents and your committee herewith wish to extend their thanks to the new management for this change.

School Buildings

At the Center School, of the more important repairs necessary, a section of one of the boilers developed a crack and required immediate repairs. These repairs were ac-

complished, however, during a vacation period and the school was not in any way interfered with. Another expensive item of repairs was the replacing of grates in the boilers. The committee, realizing that this heating system has been in active use since 1909, felt that it should have a thorough and detailed inspection and instructed Mr. Hol-loran to have this inspection made. An expert, and, fortunately, one who was well acquainted with plants such as ours, was secured and for a nominal charge, made this inspection. In his report to the committee, he finds that our plant is in good working order and in very excellent condition considering that it has been in constant use for a period of twenty years. Other than a few minor repairs, he assured your committee that the plant was entirely satisfactory both from the standpoint of safety as well as efficiency and, should meet all requirements expected of it for a long period of time.

The installation of electric lights in the Center School, a matter under consideration and discussed for some time, was finally consummated during the year. Now adequate lighting is furnished in all the class rooms, as well as the halls and basement. The work of installation was done by the Watertown Electric Company of Watertown, Mass., and the workmanship and installation appears to be satisfactory. The work was done during the Christmas vacation without disturbing in any way the school program. The above and a few minor repairs took care of the immediate needs of the Center School for the year.

At the South School, other than a few minor and necessary repairs, nothing has been done. Your committee has in mind, however, the placing of a toilet in the nurse's or teachers' room and resurfacing the blackboards. Outside, the building is in need of painting. All around the building the foundation walls should be cemented or concreted

and the dry wells reconstructed in order to prevent water from seeping into the cellar as now frequently happens. The Committee feels that no extensive program of repairs should be entered upon until the matter of the further use of this building is decided.

The Centre School building should now be gone over thoroughly as there are many things needing attention. After twenty years of service, the desks and chairs should be removed and replaced with new ones. This change could be made gradually, however, taking one or two grades each year until all were new. All of the exit doors are in bad condition and will probably have to be replaced with new ones. The entire building, both inside and out, if for no other reason than that of economy and protection, should be painted and varnished. From estimates obtained by your committee it appears that the sum of three thousand dollars will cover the cost of the new doors, new furniture in one room, and the painting of the entire building. Additional playground equipment for both schools is now under consideration and will be provided early this Spring.

For several years, your committee and the various superintendents have discussed the need of additional school room in the center of the town. It is quite evident to those who are acquainted with conditions that the school is handicapped more or less because of insufficient room. All will agree, we believe, that additional room could be used to a very great advantage. Mr. Burr Jones of the Department of Education, who made a survey of the Lincoln schools this year, commented quite strongly on the fact of our having no place suitable in which to assemble our school or any substantial part of it. Our superintendents have urged such addition as well as additional rooms for general use. As is well known, we are crowding seven units in a building originally designed for six units. The school day program is now

so arranged that in order to carry it through efficiently, school buildings and equipment must be adequate and up to date. The present Center School building was the most modern and up to date of buildings, when erected, and when accepted by the Town filled a long felt want and was expected to furnish ample room for a long time to come. After a period of twenty years, it appears that this time has now arrived, and surely Lincoln desires and expects to have as good school buildings and accommodations at this time as it had twenty years ago.

While the committee may differ as to what might be the best solution of this problem, either a new and separate building in the Centre, an annex to the present building, or the discontinuing of the ninth grade, the committee feels that on the whole, this is a matter in which every citizen should have an interest and should have an opportunity to make known his or her opinion.

In connection with this question of school accommodations the committee would ask the Town to consider the following paragraph from the report of Mr. Burr Jones that was referred to above.

"The only question that I would raise in regard to the organization is the maintenance of the ninth grade in the local schools. My mind is wholly open on this question, though I am conscious of the fact that of the one hundred and twenty-four towns under 5,000 population in the State that do not maintain senior high schools, only eight are providing locally for the instruction of the 9th grade. One hundred and sixteen are sending the 9th grade pupils to high schools in surrounding towns. There are good reasons for believing that the educational training in the high schools of surrounding towns would be superior in the scope and variety of courses offered to that which could be provided locally to a group of pupils as small as twenty. So far as the comparative cost

concerned there would appear to be very little difference. With movements on foot to provide new high school accommodations in both Concord and Waltham, I believe that this question is one that should be given very careful consideration."

This is a matter which should be decided from the standpoint of the best interests of the pupils regardless of its effect on the subject of further schoolhouse construction.

Health

This year, on the whole, has been no different from other years as to the general health and attendance of pupils. The attendance appears to have been very satisfactory. Other than several scattered cases of scarlet fever, we have been quite free of anything by way of an epidemic. As to the various cases of scarlet fever that have appeared, we have been assured that in no way have the school authorities failed to take every precaution required of them. In fact, all of these cases seem to have originated outside of the schools, and in no case has contact been traced to the pupils in the school rooms. In all matters of health, your committee are in every way cooperating with the local Board of Health.

Finances

Again, this year, your committee had an unexpended balance of approximately \$620.63, this being due principally to the fact of the many changes in the teaching staff and to the reduction in the amount expended for high school tuition. For this year we are, in accordance with a ruling of the State, obliged to divide our appropriation so that any amount needed for vocational education may be separate and apart from that of the general budget.

After a very careful study of the requirements of the schools for the coming year, especially the matter of incidental and extraordinary repairs, the committee asks for the following appropriations:

For carrying on the schools, including necessary and incidental repairs	\$35,500.00
Vocational education	1,000.00
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	\$36,500.00
For extraordinary repairs at the Centre School . .	3,000.00

Annexed is a summary of receipts and expenditures on account of the schools for the year, also reports of the Superintendent and School Nurse.

Respectfully submitted,

H. M. CONDIT, JR.
EDITH B. FARRAR
ANTHONY J. DOHERTY

Summary of Expenses of Lincoln Schools 1929

Salaries	\$16,674.50	
Expenses of Superintendent.....	153.88	
Books	556.66	
Supplies	671.63	
Operating Expenses	502.83	
Fuel	773.29	
Repairs	1,077.25	
Health	624.75	
Local Transportation	5,162.00	
High School Transportation.....	2,252.70	
High School Tuition.....	5,978.43	
New Equipment	110.85	
Outlay	840.60	
	<hr/>	\$35,379.37

Receipts on Account of Schools, 1929

Lincoln Grammar School Fund.....\$	57.52	
Webster Publishing Company.....	14.81	
City of Boston, Tuition.....	233.29	
State of Massachusetts:		
Vocational Education	344.66	
High School Transportation.....	2,033.04	
Tuition of State Wards.....	2,280.09	
Part 1, Chapter 70—from Income Tax	1,760.00	
	<hr/>	\$6,723.41
Net cost of Schools to Town.....		<hr/> \$28,655.96

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Committee of Lincoln:

I herewith submit my first report as Superintendent of Schools for the year ending December 31, 1929.

This report must of necessity be brief as my term has thus far covered but four months.

Changes in Personnel

Mr. Harold R. French, who acted as Superintendent from January to June, returned to Bristol, Connecticut. I took over his duties with the commencement of the fall term, September, 1929.

Miss Isabelle McBreen began her duties here in January, 1929, in place of Mrs. Myrtle Allen, who resigned on account of illness.

Miss Ethel J. Boyce replaced Miss Mary Lennon, who resigned to be married.

Miss Marion Parker also resigned to be married, and Miss Florence E. Wheeler was elected to fill her position.

Miss Barbara Price has taken the place of Miss Muriel Swasey, who resigned to go elsewhere.

On December first Mr. William Harrington took over the duties of janitor at the Centre School in place of Mr. Edward Graf, who resigned after ten years of service.

Mr. John Rooney was engaged as janitor at the South School during the fall term.

Transportation

No changes have been made in the transportation of pupils except to have Mr. Dee resume his former schedule of two trips daily to North Lincoln.

High School Pupils

We are at present paying tuition for 46 pupils in high and vocational schools. This number is distributed as follows:

Concord High School.....	30
Waltham High School.....	10
Weston High School.....	1
Newton Vocational	1
Waltham Trade	2
Boston Trade	2

Enrollment

On another page will be found the membership by age and grade as of October first.

Health

For the fifth consecutive year a Dental Clinic has been conducted under the auspices of the Dental Clinic Committee, Mrs. Robert Loring, chairman. A detailed report of this clinic will be found in the report of the School Nurse.

The custom of serving cocoa to all pupils who desire it has been continued this year. Cocoa is served from December first to April first at an approximate cost of \$325. This amount is made up of voluntary contributions from individuals and organizations of the town. The cost has been greater this year than in previous years because it has been distributed over a longer period of time, and more milk has been used.

Repairs

Electric lights were installed in the Center School during the Christmas recess. This improvement will show results indirectly in the conservation of eyesight and more effective and efficient work on dark days.

Many minor repairs have been completed in both schools during the past four months.

Recommendations

I am not as yet prepared to make definite suggestions regarding the schools except as they affect the physical aspects. Many of my suggestions during the past four months have been received and favorably acted upon by your committee.

Your committee is respectfully urged to give careful consideration to the following suggestions:

During the summer of 1930 the Centre School should be repainted inside and outside.

Adequate playground equipment should be installed at both schools.

Much of our present school furniture is in poor condition. This should be replaced with new, modern school equipment. This could be done by refurnishing one or two rooms each year.

In order that our schools may more effectively care for pupils who find special difficulties in regular class work in various subjects, I recommend that your committee engage a teacher who will devote her time to coaching such pupils.

I deeply appreciate the attitude of cooperation and helpfulness which I have found in your committee, in the teachers, pupils, and citizens of the community.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL F. HOLLORAN,
Superintendent of Schools.

Junior High School Graduates, 1929

ALENA BUTCHER

JEAN CHAPMAN

IRENE CHRISTIE

ALBERT CUNNINGHAM

GEORGE H. DEAN

JOHN EDGAR

EDWARD FLINT, JR.

GORDON GLADDING

WILLIAM HOWARD

CHRISTINA MACNEIL

JEANNE MACOMBER

SOPHIE MATUCIESKI

TADELIUS MATUCIESKI

JOSEPH MORRISSEY

CHESTER PECK, JR.

VIRGIL E. POLAND

ANNIE PRIMAK

ALICE ROONEY

EHLERT F. SEECKTS

Membership by Age and Grade, October 1, 1929

BOYS

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Total
Grade I.	3	10	2	1										16
II.		3	4	3										10
III.			5	4	1	2								12
IV.				1	9	4								14
V.					4	4	2	0	1					11
VI.						4	4	3	1	1				13
VII.						1	4	10	6		1			22
VIII.								3	7	1				11
IX.									1	3	1	2		7
Total	3	13	11	9	14	15	10	16	16	5	2	2		116

GIRLS

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Total
Grade I.	1	10												11
II.		6	6	3										15
III.			8	13	2	1								24
IV.				2	10	2								14
V.					1	3	3							7
VI.					1	5	5		1					12
VII.						1	2	5	4	1	1			14
VIII.									4	1	1	1		7
IX.								1	2	3	1		1	8
Total	1	16	14	18	14	12	10	6	11	5	3	1	1	112

ANNUAL REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Lincoln School Committee:

A report of the school nursing for the year ending December 31, 1929, is hereby submitted.

The schools have been visited daily. 596 office calls of pupils treated or advised. 158 home visits made and 60 trips to hospitals, doctors' offices, clinics, etc. 34 pupils have been taken home from school owing to illness.

During the school year there have been:

9 cases of Scarlet Fever

I case of Mumps.

The Lincoln Dental Committee, of which Mrs. Robert Loring is chairman, opened the annual clinic at the Centre School on January 15, 1929, working one day a week until June 10, 1929. Dr. Edward Frye took care of 106 pupils, making 112 cleanings, 56 extractions and 354 fillings. A total of \$214.75 was collected to reimburse the Committee which advanced the money for the dentist's salary. An electric drill, to replace the foot drill, was purchased with funds raised by bridge parties.

Arrangements were made in April to supply the pupils with milk during the lunch period at 4c. a half pint bottle. This same plan was followed in September and continued until December, when hot cocoa was served.

In May Dr. Martin of the State Department of Health made a follow-up on the Underweight Clinic, and in December, 1929, the children in this group were X-rayed.

On June 4th, 1929, Dr. Wood gave the Schick Test to 46 children.

The physical examination conducted by Dr. Wood in October, of 228 pupils found: 30 cases of tonsils and adenoids, which were referred to the family physicians for their opinions and advice; 38 cases of carious teeth needing immediate attention. (60 per cent of this group are already enrolled in the Dental Clinic); 7 cases of slight heart defect; all other conditions were slight and not of a reportable nature.

The routine work of weighing and measuring all pupils, special inspection of pupils when Scarlet Fever has occurred, taking cultures for hemolytic streptococci, assisting at the various clinics, etc., has been followed.

First Aid lessons were given to fifteen girls of Junior and Senior High School age under the direction of the Girl Scouts.

Three special nurses' meetings at Perkins Institute, Tewksbury and Worcester, have been attended.

41 days were spent in Sudbury.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY R. SNELLING, R. N.

Lincoln, Massachusetts,
January, 1930.



NOTICE:

Business Meeting, Monday, March 3, at 7:30 P. M.

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said
County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Lincoln on Monday, the third day of March next at 7.30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on all of the following Articles, except Article 2, and also to meet in said Town Hall on Saturday, the 8th day of March next, at 12 o'clock Noon, then and there to act on the following Article 2, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the third day of March next:

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March 8th, will be open at 12.00 o'clock Noon; and may be closed at 6.30 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator.

ART. 2. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other Officers required by law, to be elected by Australian Ballot, viz.:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

Two Constables for one year.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Sinking and Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Trustees for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

Also to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following question :

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

ART. 3. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

ART. 4. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

ART. 5. To appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

ART. 6. To determine the manner of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To determine the compensation of the Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1930, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1930.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 or some other amount and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

ART. 10. To see if the Town will accept Section 73, Chapter 41, of the General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 11. To see if the Town will appoint a committee to draw up a code of Building Laws for the Town or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 12. To see if the Town will create a Planning Board, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to provide a Dump for the use of the residents of the Town and will appropriate a sum not exceeding \$500 therefor.

ART. 14. To see if the Town will take any action in regard to the erection of a new school building and the location of the same, or in regard to providing additional school accommodations.

ART. 15. To see if the Town will release any interest it now has or at any time had by way of easement or otherwise in a lot of land known as "The North Lincoln School House Lot", located on the North State Road or Massa-

chusetts Avenue, so-called, and now the property of Mrs. Jennie MacDonald, or act anything in relation to this article.

ART. 16. To see if the Town will accept a certain parcel of land deeded to the Town by David Farquhar, beginning at the westerly corner of Middle and Mill Streets and running northeasterly about 175 feet, containing, say, 10,900 square feet. The deed to said land is recorded in Middlesex So. District, Book 5405, page 154.

ART. 17. To see if the Town will take any action toward extending the water pipes to the house of the late Mason Hunter, and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 18. To see if the Town will extend street lighting on the North State Road from the Concord line to the Lexington town line, and appropriate money therefor; or take any action in connection with street lighting.

ART. 19. To see if the Town will authorize the appointment of a committee of citizens to investigate and report to the Town on the possibility of establishing a Town Forest, or take any action in relation to the same.

ART. 20. To see if the Town will take any action toward the installation of a fire alarm system, appropriate any money or act anything in relation to this article.

ART. 21. To see if the Town will extend the electric street lights from Bedford Road to the Concord line on the Concord and Cambridge Turnpike and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 22. To see if the Town will accept a deed from Robert M. Pierce granting to the Town land owned by him adjoining the property received under the will of John H. Pierce, or take any other action in connection with same.

HEREOF FAIL NOT

And make due return of this WARRANT with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 20th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty.

C. LEE TODD,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
HERBERT G. FARRAR,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

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